

Call For Flood Fighters

Vincennes, Ind., Mayor Asks For Help; Bulldozers Into New Madrid

By the Associated Press

The Army ordered heavy earth moving equipment to critical "fuzed plug" sections of the big Mississippi today in the biggest flood threat since 1937.

The mayor of historic Vincennes, Ind., issued a special second call for volunteer flood fighters in his endangered city on the banks of the Wabash.

The Army sent the bulldozers and earth movers to the levee tops of the Birds Point-New Madrid floodway. There the crews will await orders either to blast out sections of the levee, or set their machines chewing into the massive earthen floodwall.

The idea is this: If a "plug" is deliberately pulled out of the levee, the mighty Mississippi's torrent will surge into the 139,000-acre floodway. This will lower the pressure on other walls, up and down stream, such as that at Cairo, Ill.

A Leaking Dike
A leaking dike on the north side of Vincennes made Mayor William L. Betz call at Vincennes necessary. He asked 400 or 500 fresh workers to bear a hand at the levee near the mouth of Kelso creek. The north side of the city, the site of Indiana's old territorial capital and other historical monuments, is in danger.

The big Ohio and other rain-swollen streams in the lower Mississippi and Ohio river valleys—as well as the old Miss' itself—continued to rise at other points. There was a mass exodus—some 8,000 farmers and sharecroppers—in southeast Missouri, as the nation's might father of waters welled up to its highest mark in 13 years.

4000 Remained in Area
But some 4,000 other residents in the Birds Point-New Madrid floodway remained in the area.

G. A. Robinson, commander of the flood-fighting unit for the area around Charleston, Mo., near the floodway, said that no order had yet been issued to blast out or grade down the levee banks and inundate the floodway.

Residents know, however, that the decision may be made at any time.

Besides the 8,000 persons forced from their homes in southeast Missouri, other thousands have been made temporarily homeless in Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Arkansas and Tennessee by the floodwaters from rivers in the lower Mississippi and Ohio valleys.

Drove 350 Families Out
In Arkansas the St. Francis, the Ouachita, White and Little Red rivers spilled water over parts of 15 counties, driving out at least 350 families. Other floodwaters have forced 450 families to leave their homes in west Tennessee. More than 4,000 persons have left.

Tavern Brawl Fatal To Former Cab Driver
POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Jan. 18.—(P)—A tavern brawl early today resulted in the fatal shooting of Orville C. Prince, 30, father of three children, and arrest of Glen Buckditt, 32, for questioning. Prince, a former cab driver, died an hour after being shot twice in the abdomen. Police said Burkett, an unemployed woodworker, signed a confession telling of the shooting and declaring he fired after Prince lunged at him menacingly with a drawn beer bottle.

Chillicothe To Vote On Improvement Bonds
CHILICOTHE, Mo., Jan. 18.—(P)—Chillicothe will vote tomorrow on a proposal to issue \$565,000 in municipal improvement bonds.

The money would provide \$449,000 for replacement of the present water plant and the remainder for use of the power department.

Given Life Sentence
NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 18.—(P)—Raymond Welsh, 16, was sentenced to life imprisonment today for the rifle slaying of a teen-age girl. Welsh, convicted Dec. 13 of the killing, showed no emotion as he received the sentence.

The jury of eight men and four women had found the slim youth guilty of first degree murder but had recommended life imprisonment. Welsh was charged with shooting his friend, Fred Januszkie wicz, 15, last March 3 in order to steal \$81 from him.

Where Floods Threaten



A stretch of more than 180 miles along the Mississippi river (shaded area) is faced with one of the worst floods in 13 years. Residents north of Birds Point-New Madrid, Mo., floodway (A) were ordered evacuated and the Red Cross set up a refugee camp at Malden (underlined). In the Vincennes, Ind., area (B), the Wabash river continued to rise. Maunier and Shawneetown, Ill. (underlined) were isolated. In still another area (C), in Arkansas, flood waters of the St. Francis, Ouachita, White and Little Red rivers fanned out over 15 counties and made many families homeless. (AP WIREPHOTO MAP)

Gives Ruling On Employees Who Picket

Can't Accept State Compensation if Union Pays Benefits

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 18.—(P)—A striking employee who accepts strike benefits from the union in order to feel economically free to picket can't collect state unemployment compensation pay.

Charles F. Moseley, appeals referee for the state division of employment security, reached that conclusion today in a decision involving the Produce Creamery company of Springfield and its struck employees.

Moseley also ruled: 1. A striking employee can't get unemployment compensation until the company gets back to normal operations. Then he can claim benefits as a non-worker if the company has hired someone else to take his place and he has refused to go back to work.

2. Struck employees who engage in picketing only during odd moments and not during the hours they might ordinarily be seeking another job can get unemployment compensation after the company they quit gets back to normal schedule.

Charles A. Ricker, director of the state's employment security department, announced the decision today. He said he expected it would be appealed to the courts.

Fifty-six union employees of Producers Creamery struck last Sept. 2. Under Moseley's ruling, 17 of them were found ineligible to receive job insurance benefits. 35 were held eligible, one was allowed only a part of his claim, partial approvals applied in two more cases and the last case was dismissed because no claim was filed.

A deputy of the state agency found all 56 eligible for compensation. The company appealed and Moseley conducted appeal hearings in Springfield last December.

Moseley said nine union pickets who "carried on the brunt of the picketing received \$20 a week from the union's welfare fund."

"While these claimants were not paid a wage for picketing, the pattern of the 'welfare fund' payments made to them, and the regularity with which they appeared on the picket line each week, indicates that their chief interest and activity during the weeks of their claims was picketing. . . . The 'welfare fund' payments were made to them with respect to each week so that they could feel free to picket regularly."

Burglars Break Into Marshall Schools
MARSHALL, Mo., Jan. 18.—(P)—Police are looking for burglars who broke into three Marshall schools and took about \$37. The money represented funds paid by students for milk. Police said the burglars entered two of the schools by breaking glass panes. At the third a window had been pried open. Playground equipment, a movie projector and other supplies were left untouched.

New Set Ermine Earmuffs For Weatherman

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Jan. 18.—(P)—Springfield's weatherman C. C. Willford was sporting a new set of earmuffs today.

Ermine earmuffs, too. They came from a Springfield furrier, Carl K. McDaniel, "as a token of appreciation for the manner in which you have handled the weather this winter—so much to our advantage."

"These are especially built to give comfort from the cold weather and peace of mind when being heckled after missing a forecast, since they are nearly sound proof," McDaniel added.

Take Steps to Halt Rise of Tent Cities

Hazardous From Exposure And Lack Of Sanitation

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 18.—(P)—The State Health Division took steps today to halt the rise of tent cities in the southeastern Missouri flood area.

Instead of putting refugees in tents, the division asked the Red Cross to put evacuated families in permanent buildings like armories and school buildings.

Larry E. Ordelheide, head of the division's section of environmental sanitation, explained the situation.

"Small tent communities have been springing up with no water supply, no facilities for sewage disposal or organized food handling," he said.

Hazard From Exposure
"With rain and colder weather predicted, there is also the hazard from exposure. We have asked the Red Cross to locate the people in buildings where there are better sanitary facilities."

Ordelheide said health authorities and Red Cross officials were to discuss the problem at a meeting in Charleston, Mo., this afternoon.

He reported about 600 refugees were bedded down last night at the old Malden Army Air Field. Two schools also are being used at Charleston, one for whites and one for Negroes.

So far the only state water purification unit operating in the area is at Hornersville, Mo., in the flooding St. Francis river.

Film 'In Balance' Shown Optimists

Charles Wendt, Kansas City, was the principal speaker at the regular noon meeting of the Optimist club at the Bothwell hotel, Tuesday. Following his speech, Mr. Wendt presented a film entitled, "In Balance." The program speaker, William Lemley, introduced Mr. Wendt.

The meeting was presided over by the president, Frank Mehl. Charles Hanna led the group in singing songs, and Rev. Arthur Freeberg gave the invocation.

No Early 'Red' Invasion of Hainan Island

Nationalist Navy And Air Force Have Made it Impossible

By the Associated Press

A Nationalist Chinese commander claimed today the Nationalist navy and air force have made it impossible for Communist invasion of Hainan island.

The ground commander on Hainan said his forces are mopping up the remnants of 17,000 Communists who landed on the big South China island.

He said Nationalist air and naval forces have sunk 2,000 Communist craft (mostly junks) massed on Liuchow, the invasion peninsula opposite Hainan.

Hainan and Formosa are the last two important strongholds left to Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalists.

Meanwhile the official Communist voice, Peiping radio, heard in Tokyo, gave its first account of the Communist seizure of American, French and Dutch government properties in China.

The seizures pushed the United States into recalling all state department officials from Communist China.

Accusations Over Radio
The Peiping radio accused the western powers' consuls of "procrastinating and refusing" to respond to the Peiping regime's "justifiable demand."

It said "military necessity" prompted the seizures. It called the government properties "military establishments" protecting "special interests based on unfair treaties."

A chief spokesman for American foreign policy in the Far East talked turkey to Communist China, reminding her she has a long, hard economic road to travel.

Roving ambassador Philip C. Jessup, using Hong Kong as his rostrum, said: "China will continue to require the technological and cultural aid of many countries—not merely one to two—if her development."

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Missourians In 'Red' China

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(P)—Four Missourians and two Kansans are among the 138 American government employees and dependents in Communist China.

The government has ordered all 138 to leave Communist China as quickly as possible. The order followed Communist seizure of the U. S. consulate in Peiping.

One hundred of the Americans are attached to the state department, and 38 to the defense department. The state department yesterday issued a list of its employees involved. They included: Missourians—W.F.D. Gebhardt, Oregon, Mo.; John O. Sutter, Overland; Patsy M. Turner, Warrensburg; and C. O. Hawthorne, Seligman.

Kansans—Don H. Shrouf, Concordia, and William I. Graham, Burrton.

'Couldn't Stand' Husband
ST. LOUIS, Jan. 18.—(P)—Mrs. Lizzie Love, 67, sought a divorce yesterday, declaring she simply "couldn't stand" her husband until their golden wedding anniversary May 12.

"You may miss him if I give you a divorce," Circuit Judge John K. Regan told the woman.

To which she replied firmly: "The only thing I'll miss about him is the abuse he gave me."

She said her husband, 75 years old, is a farmer at Des Arc, Mo.

What It's Like to Live in Fear of a Mighty River

By Allan Merritt

EAST PRAIRIE, Mo., January 18.—(P)—What's it like to live in constant fear of a mighty river?

The poor people of the New Madrid floodway on the Mississippi accepted their plight with an air of resignation today—but not without some resentment.

Hundreds of the smaller land owners in the vast, fertile basin will be wiped out financially if the floodway is opened.

The bulk of the movable property is out. Principal damage will be to houses and other buildings—and possibly to the land.

"Some of the spillway people are throwing a fit," said Woodrow Tinnon, 33. "They don't care what happens to anybody else but they don't want them to flood the spillway."

Tinnon, his wife and their children abandoned their four-room house near the center of the floodway late yesterday. Backwater had risen to their doorstep. They succeeded in getting their furniture out and have moved in

Reprimanded



Major General Harry H. Vaughan, President Truman's military aide, who was reprimanded sharply today by the Senate committee which conducted an inquiry last summer, starting by trying to find out about the activities of men who collected fees for helping others to get government contracts.

Prediction From National GOP Leader

Believes They Will Win Control Of Congress

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(P)—Republicans got a prediction from national chairman Guy G. Gabrielson today that their party will win control of Congress in November.

The occasion was a party gathering, sort of a pocket size national convention, called to draft a 1950 campaign platform. Gabrielson tied his prediction to an "if" in that connection.

He said that if the GOP comes out with a "definite, sound and convincing" declaration of principles it will strengthen the party in the November voting "an give us once again working majorities in both Senate and House."

Gabrielson also said in a prepared welcoming address that Republican senators and representatives will be called upon to "implement our declaration by legislation."

This seemed to put the national chairman at odds with some GOP members of Congress. For these members have been insisting that the proposed statement of party principles be couched in such broad terms that it would not affect their votes on bills pending before Congress.

No Specific Measures
Among others, Senator Taft (R-Ohio) has said any declaration worked out by the Senate policy drafting group of which

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Report Premature
NICE, France, Jan. 18.—(P)—Asked about reports he would hasten his plans to marry Romanian Princess Irene Chika, American Screen Actor Errol Flynn told reporters today:

"The reports are premature; the Princess hasn't yet learned to cook."

Gen. Vaughan, Truman Aide, Reprimanded

Committee Takes Him to Task For Accepting Gifts

By Marvin L. Arrowsmith
WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(P)—Maj. Gen. Harry H. Vaughan, President Truman's military aide, was reprimanded sharply today by the Senate committee which conducted last summer's spectacular five percent inquiry.

In a unanimous report on the investigation, the committee took Vaughan to task for accepting seven home freezers as gifts, and it criticized him on other counts.

Vaughan gave one of the freezers to Mrs. Truman. Some of the units went to other Washington notables. The presidential aide has said there was nothing wrong about his taking the freezers, or in presenting them to his friends.

Today Vaughan declined to talk to reporters when he arrived at the White House, or to pose for pictures. "I'm too busy now," he said. "I have no statement to make whatsoever."

(The committee said it's all right for the president and his family to accept gifts because throughout the history of the nation the American people have presented them "as a token of their esteem and a mark of respect for the high office he holds.") Nothing in the report, the committee added, "is intended to be critical of that long-standing tradition."

Denounced Maragon
The committee's report bluntly denounced John F. Maragon, Washington man-about-town who was indicted early this month by a federal grand jury which accused him of lying to the Senate group. Maragon, who once had a White House pass, pleaded innocent when he was arraigned. His trial is set for Feb. 20.

The committee's public hearings last August brought testimony that Maragon enlisted Vaughan's aid in an effort to wield influence with other government officials and in attempts to secure favors for friends.

In its report the committee concluded: "There is no doubt that Maragon's friendship with Gen. Harry H. Vaughan made his (Maragon's) activities in his dealings with the

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Storm Causes Accidents

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Jan. 18.—(P)—Freezing mist and ice over highways today caused a number of traffic accidents in which one man was killed and several persons injured.

Steadily falling temperatures caused the mist to freeze and coated the highways and streets with a deceptive glaze. Motorists said the road surfaces appeared only wet, but actually were frozen.

Howard Martin, 59, Noblesville, Ind., was killed and four members of his family injured when their convertible overturned on U. S. Highway 66 about a mile east of here.

Mrs. Martin, two sons and a daughter were brought to a Springfield hospital. The family was enroute to Oklahoma City.

There were two similar accidents at the same area about the same time and another west of the city. None of the victims were believed seriously injured.

The low reading at 8:30 a. m. was 21 degrees. Last night the mercury dipped 14 degrees in an hour, falling from 50 at 11 p. m. to 36 at midnight. Snow is forecast for later today.

The Weather

Continued cold with likelihood of sleet or freezing rain tonight and Thurs. morning. Low tonight near 15; high Thurs. in 20s.

COLD
Temperature: 7:00 a. m. 14 degrees; 2:00 p. m. 17 degrees. The temperature is expected to drop to around five degrees above in this vicinity tonight. Snow was predicted also for this area.

Lake of the Ozarks: 1 over full; fall 2.

Thought for Today
THE blood of man should never be shed but to redeem the blood of man. It is well shed for our family, for our God, for our country, for our kind. The rest is vanity; the rest is crime.—Burke.

Gives up Career



Pretty blue-eyed actress Colleen Townsend, above, announced an unusual Hollywood decision when she reported that she will give up her promising film career to enter a theological college in September. "It's no reflection on motion pictures," she said; but declared she believes true happiness for her lies in religious work. She has not decided whether she will become a missionary or teach, nor does this mean she will not eventually marry.

Coach Ashford Of Marshall Lions' Speaker

Basketball Squads Of Both High Schools Guests

"Football in General" was the subject of Volney C. Ashford, director of athletics at Missouri Valley college, Marshall, who spoke at the noonday meeting of the Sedalia Lions club today. Honored guests at the noonday meeting were the basketball squads of Sacred Heart and Smith-Cotton high schools.

Coach Ashford commented on the two basketball teams in Sedalia and explained it has been several years since he coached the sport at Valley. He then reviewed events of the 1949 football season of the Vikings.

He told of the bowl game at Galveston, Texas, in which the Vikings met McMurray college and lost by a score of 19 to 13. He reviewed several plays of the game which proved costly to the Missouri aggregation and also of several outstanding plays made by his team. He gave a word picture of the entertainment the two teams enjoyed during their visit to Texas.

Told of National Meeting
He also told of the recent National Football Coaches Association meeting held in New York and of various rules discussed for changes. He also commented on the two-platoon system, telling of some of its advantages and of the disadvantages of the system to the smaller universities and colleges. Coach Ashford in reviewing the plays said they are "very confusing" not only to the spectators but to the coaches as well. "Sometimes we coaches don't even know who's going into the game, the shift comes around so quickly," he remarked.

The "Purity Code" of the N.C. A.A. was commented on in his talk. This has brought about much pro and con discussion. "I am like Coach Don Faurot," Coach Ashford said. "We hope that some kind of a working rule can be made, acceptable to all schools and coaches."

Coach Ashford is also president of the Marshall Lions club and extended an invitation to the Sedalia Lions to visit his club.

Jimmy Glenn, program chairman for the month, introduced the speaker.

At the opening of the meeting President A. W. Haller introduced

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Nazarene Church Robbed of \$2,000

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 18.—(P)—Thieves got more than \$2,000 in currency and jewelry from an unlocked safe at the church of the Nazarene headquarters yesterday.

Police said three young men, seen loitering in the hallway, apparently looted the safe while most of the 40 employees at the headquarters were out to lunch.

The loss included two diamond rings given to the church by members for conversion into cash. The rings were valued at \$550. Officials said the thieves overlooked \$800 worth of jewelry.

Million In Cash Is Stolen

One of the Biggest Robberies in Nation's History Occurred in Boston

BOSTON, Jan. 18.—(P)—Crack FBI agents joined today in a manhunt for a bandit gang that got away with \$1,500,000—a million dollars of it in cash—in one of the biggest robberies in the nation's history.

A spokesman for Brink's, Inc., operators of the money transportation firm robbed, said a \$100,000 reward would be offered for capture of the bandits.

"We have not worked out the details of setting up the reward yet," he said. "But we will offer this reward."

Working smoothly, the robbers escaped last night without leaving a single clue. Hours later, Police Supt. Edward J. Fallon said "we have little or nothing to work on."

Eight Suspects Held
Eight suspects were being held but police officials indicated they had little to pin on them—at this time anyway. All except one are ex-convicts—rounded up as "types" for such a holdup.

The seven soft-shoed gunmen—

BOSTON, Jan. 18.—(P)—Two employees of Brink's, scene of last night's sensational \$1,000,000 cash robbery, said they feared death if they resisted. "My God, what could I do?" exclaimed Charles S. Grell, a messenger.

"We were covered by seven guns," he said, "and it would have been death if I didn't open the gate when I was ordered to."

"Even if I didn't open it, they could have had one of their members climb over the gate while they held us under the guns and opened it from the inside."

"I didn't have any choice but to open it."

James R. Allen, a cashier, said he "didn't dare" reach for a gun in the nearby weapon rack.

"I walked right near the shotgun rack," he said, "but didn't dare go for one of the weapons."

"We would all have been moved down by the gate if I had."

"One walked up to me and knocked off my glasses with the flip of his hand. At first, I thought it was a bunch of kids—particularly with those masks on."

"But when I saw the guns, I knew they weren't kidding."

all wearing Halloween-type masks and navy peajackets—left behind another million dollars in cash only because their hands were full.

Like a movie thriller, they sneaked through six locked doors to reach the vaults of a money transportation firm surprising five cashiers and guards before they could reach for their own shotguns.

An alarm giving descriptions of the desperadoes was sounded along the entire eastern seaboard while this city's police began one of the biggest roundups of underworld characters ever undertaken.

Crack FBI agents and state police joined local police who were

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Winter Back In Missouri

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 18.—(P)—Wintry weather bounced back into Missouri today.

Freezing mist struck southwest and southern Missouri early today and the weather bureau forecast light snow or sleet for the northern section tonight with the possibility of sleet or freezing rain Thursday.

In the Springfield area, highways and streets were treacherous. The highway patrol reported freezing mist in Laclede county, in the El Dorado Springs area and at Rolla, where roads were described as hazardous.

The cold front moved in quickly last night after a day of high temperatures. Cold spots overnight were Tarkio 5, St. Joseph 7, Kirksville 8, Kansas City and Chillicothe 10; Columbia 14, Rolla and St. Louis 21 and Joplin 22.

Lows tonight are expected to range from 12 to 13 in the north to 20 to 23 in the south.

Queen City Chorale Rehearsal
A regular rehearsal of the Mesquite will be held Thursday at the court house. All members of the Queen City and Youth Chorales are expected to be present.

A social function will follow the rehearsal at which time refreshments will be served. Associate members as well as singers are welcome to attend.

Pilot Grove

(MRS. J. H. COLEMAN)
Miss Helen Bergman, student at Central Business College in Sedalia, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Bergman.

David Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mellor, spent to Columbia Sautrday where he took a plane to Olathe, Kas. David enlisted in the United States Naval Reserve several months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown and daughter, Peggy, of Sedalia, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Klinklen.

T. L. Turbyville of University City, transacted business in Pilot Grove Saturday and was a guest of Mrs. Stella Simmons.

Wally Burger of Columbia spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burger.

Joe, Bill and Frank Thiel of St. Louis are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coffman.

Roger Weaver transacted business in Sedalia Monday.

Mrs. John Davis entered St. Joseph hospital at Boonville Thursday for medical treatment.

William Judy spent several days the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Judy. Mr. Judy received serious injuries to his hands in his work in Kansas City several weeks ago but is now improved.

Miss Mary Lou Burger returned to Christian college Columbia Sunday after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burger.

Miss Dorothy Downing spent Saturday in Boonville.

The Rev. Carl Schmidt, pastor of the Evangelical church, Mrs. Schmidt and daughter, Lois, attended the conference of the Missouri Council of Churches at Jefferson City, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. A. G. Krumm and Mrs. William Phillips were Sedalia visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Judy returned home from Kansas City Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Bock of Kansas City spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bock.

Miss Carol Coleman of Christian College, Columbia, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coleman.

Leonard Schlotzhauer returned home Friday from Salisbury where he had been transacting business.

Babe Heim spent Monday in Kansas City.

Harold Kempf was a business visitor in Boonville Friday.

Mrs. John Waller, who has been a patient at Ravenswaay's clinic in Boonville, is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Anderck and Mr. Anderck of Overland, Park, Kas.

Reuben Eichelberger who has been employed in Kansas City was a guest Saturday and Sunday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Eichelberger.

Mrs. Roy Jones and daughter, Mrs. Randall Sapp and children, Randy and Gayle, of Columbia, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson and daughter, Linda.

Charles Dilthey spent Thursday in Boonville on business.

Miss Daisy Corbin of Blackwater was a guest Sunday of Miss Carol Rae Schlotzhauer.

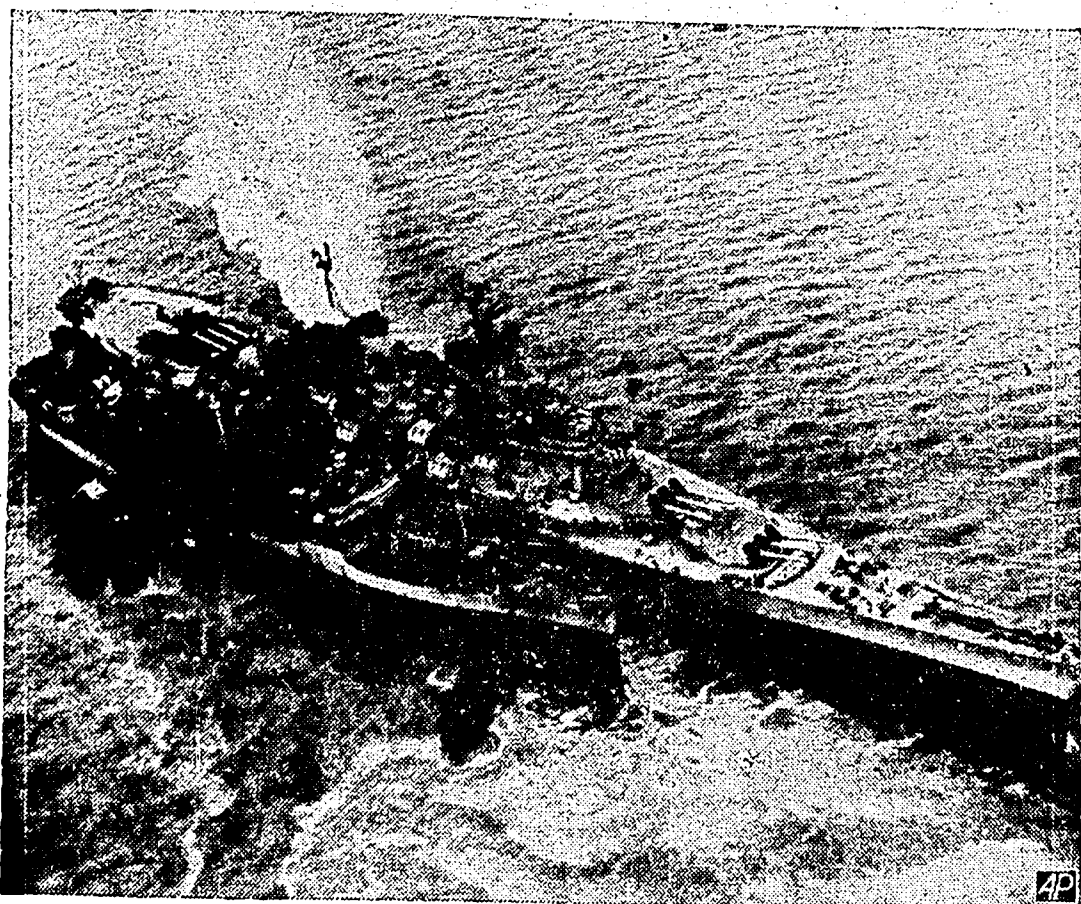
Lewis Turner, who teaches a country school near Fulton spent the week-end with Mrs. Edith Roberts and sister, Mrs. Barton.

Patty Wessing and Alice Day spent from Sunday until Tuesday with their grandmother, Mrs. Fred Echerle.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Everett of Kansas City visited in the John Davis home over the week-end.

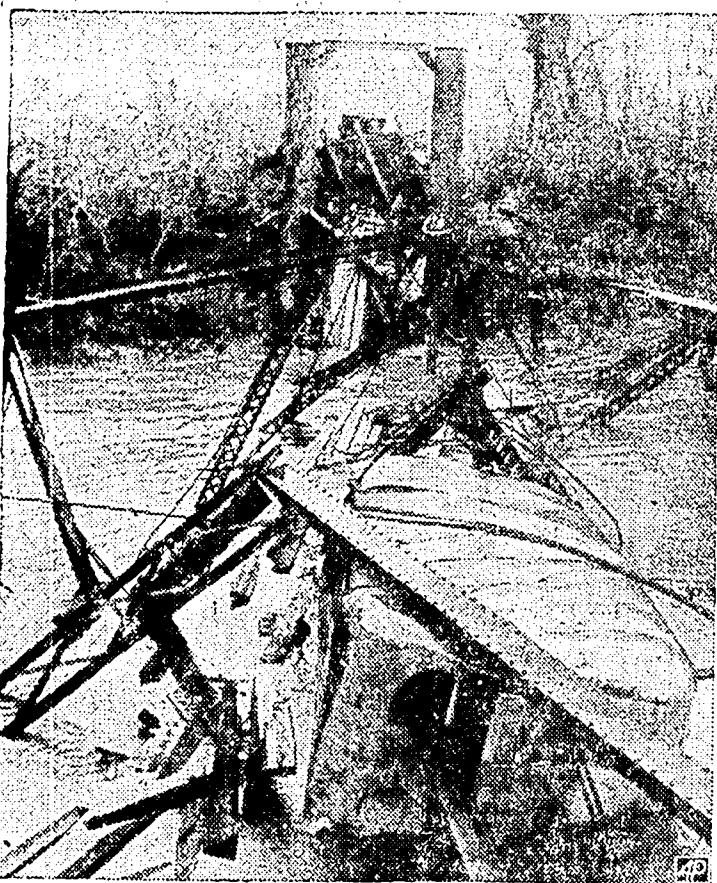
Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cooksey who have been residing in Texas visited Saturday with Mrs. A. C.

Aid For USS Missouri



A navy fueler takes off fuel oil in attempt to lighten the battleship Missouri aground off a Chesapeake bay mud bank. Also shown in this air view are navy tugs aiding the giant ship. (AP WIREPHOTO)

School Bus Crashes Into River



Four students were injured, none seriously, when this school bus crashed through a wooden bridge into the Tallapoosa river near Heflin, Ala. The river is about three feet deep at this point. Overhead riggers, part of the bridge structure, crashed onto the top of the bus as the span collapsed. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Krumm. They were enroute to their new home in Kansas City where Mr. Cooksey will continue his study of law. Mr. Cooksey was formerly connected with the C. C. Camp at Pilot Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Schlotzhauer and daughter, Jane, of Boonville and the Rev. Lewis Odneal, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Day and sons, Paul and Gary.

Ralph Warnhoff of Kansas City, arrived Friday to spend several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warnhoff. Mr. Warnhoff was enroute to Chicago where he will transact business. He was accompanied to Pilot Grove by Mrs. Warnhoff and daughter, Deborah Ann. They will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Morris of Boonville.

Cecil Lee Turner, inspector of the American Telephone and Telegraph company in St. Louis, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Edith Roberts over the week-end.

Clarence Stegner entered St. Joseph's hospital in Boonville Friday for medical treatment.

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Bethel 4-H Club Meeting

The Bethel 4-H Club met at the Bethel school January 11 with 12 members and 12 visitors present. Shirley Kile was elected to write the theme on the club work for the special edition of the newspaper, which will be published later.

A Valentine party was decided for the next meeting, which will be held February 8. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Morton and Mrs. Johnson, hostess.

To Have Valentine Party

The Hillview 4-H Club met at the home of Glen Breckenridge on the evening of January 12. There were nine members and one visitor present. Two members were welcomed into the club, Harold Hartman and John W. Parkhurst.

Following the meeting, games were played. The next meeting will be at the home of Bill Yancey on the evening of February 9, at which time a Valentine party will be held.

Miami, Okla., last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz Gerlt and family of Glensted were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gerlt.

Miss Erna Tagtmeyer and brother, Will, attended a church dedication and installation of a pastor at Lone Elm, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Scrivner spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Wenger at Versailles.

Mrs. Gordia Rapp, Mrs. Amelia Warnke and Mrs. Gene Allee, were business visitors in Boonville Wednesday.

Nathanael Kraxberger spent the week-end with friends in Sweet Springs.

Edgar Schedler is employed at the Town and Country shoe factory in Sedalia.

Donald Hotelling of Dodge City, Kas., was here one day last week and spent a day with his parents.

Miss Greta G. Fajen, Paul Kolm of C. M. S. C., Robert Hagedorn of Kansas City University and Jean Stucher, also of Warrensburg, all spent the week-end with home-folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Allee had as dinner guests Sunday noon: Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Allee, Charles Allee of Kansas City and Mrs. Gordia Rapp.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gerlt, son, Martin, and Lorena, spent Monday evening in Versailles in the Walter Gelt home.

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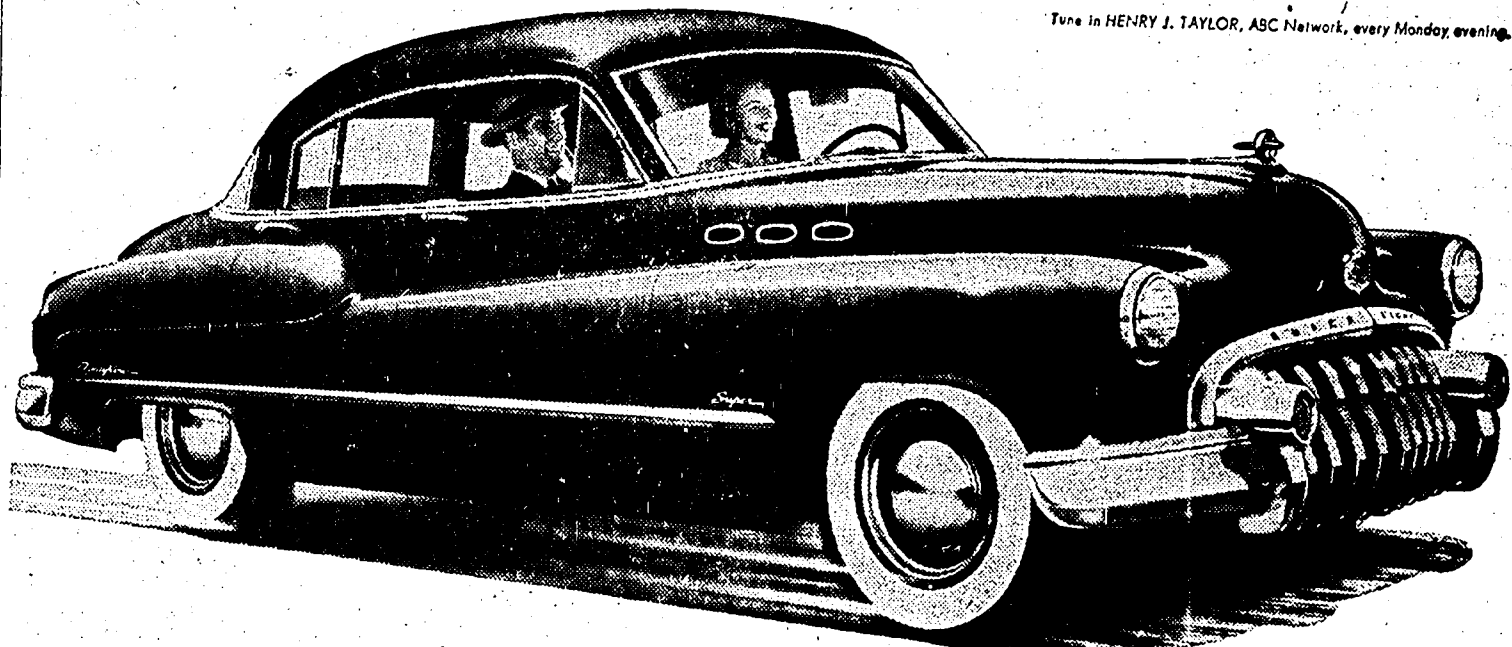
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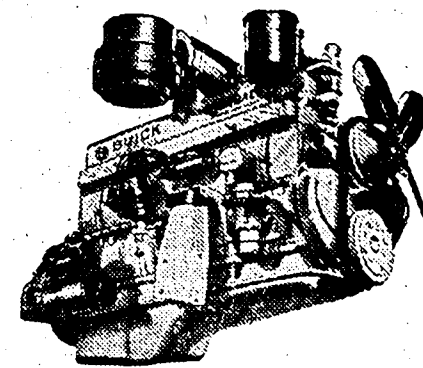
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Social Events

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SHADOW BONNET . . . This asymmetrical bonnet is made of white balibuntl straw with black velvet binding, dramatic profile.



KISS VEIL . . . You can eat, smoke or kiss in this veil which frames the face, says Sally Victor. Hat is made of rough white straw.

The members of Delta Phi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority installed their director, Mrs. Edgar Dilthey and sponsor, Mrs. Anna Bagby, at a meeting held last week at the home of Miss Josephine Chipman, 717 West Sixth street.

The dining table of the home, covered with a white cloth, was centered with a bouquet of yellow roses, with lighted yellow tapers, in white holders, on each side.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Burlette, 400 1/2 West Fifth street, entertained guests Tuesday night at their home, in honor of Mr. Burlette's birthday anniversary.

The playing of canasta was the main diversion of the evening, which was followed with a social period and refreshments.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. William Dick, Mr. and Mrs. John White, Mr. and Mrs. William Nicholson and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Harms.

CHURCH NEWS

The Altar Rosary Society of St. Patrick's church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The Women's Council of the East Sedalia Baptist church will meet Thursday night at the home of Mrs. S. W. Welch, 1020 West Eleventh street.

The president, Mrs. Lester Smith, will preside and Mrs. Nadine McVey will have charge of the devotional. Mrs. Helen Whittington will be co-hostess.

The T.E.L. Sunday school class of East Sedalia Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. E. W. Sands, 1418 East Seventh street January 14.

A covered dish luncheon will be served at the noon hour and hostesses will be Mrs. E. W. Sands, Mrs. Harry Mosby, Mrs. John Rush, Mrs. John Homan and Mrs. James Neville.

Class 9 of the First Christian church, taught by Mrs. John Fowler, held a belated Christmas party Tuesday evening. Members came dressed in old fashioned costumes. Following a plate luncheon, a social hour was held in addition to an exchange of gifts.

The new officers elected for 1950 were: Mrs. George Wilson, president; Mrs. John Fowler, teacher; Mrs. A. M. Nelson, assistant teacher; Mrs. L. V. Morris, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Tom Bell, assistant secretary-treasurer; Miss Kathryn Courtney and Miss Tracy Berry, sick committee.

The Homemaker's class of the East Sedalia Baptist church will have its monthly meeting Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haines, 1003 East Broadway.

The scripture, "Suffering for Righteous Sake" will be read by Mrs. Melvin O'Bannon. The devotional will be given by Mrs. Lindsey Hayden. Mrs. Louis Momborg will have charge of the games during the social hour.

Mrs. Everett Momborg is the teacher of the class. Hostesses will be Mrs. Ray Haines, Mrs. Milford Griggs and Mrs. Ed Mathews.

Circle 4, of the First Methodist church, met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. W. Thompson, 1020 South Barrett avenue. The group met at 1:30 o'clock, following a dessert luncheon. Mrs. Clarence Dow presided over the business session, in the absence of Mrs. H. L. Judd, president.

Mrs. T. H. Yount, program chairman, presented Mrs. T. M. Croxton, guest speaker, who re-

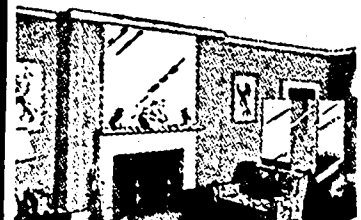


Monte-Sano — New short jacket weskit suit in black-and-white pin check with starched linen collar.

Dental Society Has First Meeting of Year

The Sedalia Dental Society held its first meeting of the new year Tuesday evening at the Bothwell hotel. Following a dinner the new officers presided over the meeting. They are: Dr. H. B. Hunter, president; Dr. T. O. Schaad, vice-president; Dr. O. J. Durnell, secretary and treasurer. Plans for the coming year were

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Congressmen Know Many Ways of Killing a Bill

By James Marlow

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(P)—Some of President Truman's program may get slaughtered without ever coming to a vote.

This is because congressmen know more ways of killing a bill than voting it down or trying to talk it to death.

The House Rules committee is giving a good example of that now. First, a little history on that committee.

A great many bills are introduced in the House every year. The House doesn't have time to consider all of them.

Which shall it choose? Long ago it set up a committee of its members called the rules committee.

This committee was supposed to act as a funnel through which bills would be let out on the floor for debate and vote.

Just About Kill Bill
If the committee wanted to kill a bill by refusing to let it out, that just about killed it. It took a petition signed by a majority of the House members to jar loose a bill turned down by the rules committee.

For many years there were great complaints against this kind of power given to one little group of committeemen.

Along came the election of President Truman in 1948 with his Fair Deal program and particularly that part of it which promised new civil rights laws, mostly for the benefit of Negroes.

Mr. Truman's Democrats won control of the House, too. So when this Congress began its session in January, 1949, the Trumanites looked at the make-up of the rule committee.

Personnel of Committee
There were 12 members on it: Eight Democrats and four Republicans. But—four of those eight Democrats were southern Democrats.

If the four southern Democrats teamed up with the four Republicans, that would put the Trumanite Democrats of four in a small minority and—

Any time the team of Republicans and southern Democrats wanted to bottle up some of the Truman program and keep it from a vote, they could just vote in the committee to bottle it up.

Well, the majority of the men in Congress decided they'd take that kind of power away from the rules committee. And the House established a new rule. This was it:

If the rules committee sat on a bill for 21 days, it can be called up in the House anyway. The rules committee can't stop it. This gives 435 members a chance to decide whether they want to pass the bill.

Want Power Again
That's what happened in 1949. But now suddenly a majority of the rules committee—southern Democrats teaming up with Republicans—want their old power back.

They voted the other day to ask the full House to vote this year on whether the rules committee can have back its old power to sit on a bill indefinitely.

The rules committee may win, in spite of President Truman's protests over the maneuver. This is one of the reasons:

There's a bill in Congress to give veterans a bonus. This comes at a time when Congress is shouting economy.

If that bill gets out on the floor for a vote—since this is the year when all 435 House members must stand for re-election and face the voters on their record—a majority of the House may vote

for it through fear of antagonizing the veteran vote.

Would Save Voting
So, if the rules committee could conveniently sit on that bill—provided the House gave it back its old power to do so—this would save a lot of congressmen from the embarrassment of voting on a veterans' bonus. But—

If the rules committee—where the southern Democrats and Republicans outnumber the Trumanites two to one—wins its old power, you can tell Mr. Truman's civil rights program good-bye this year anyway. The rules committee wouldn't let it out on the floor for a vote.

Choral Club Rehearsal

The Sedalia Men's Choral club met at Broadway school Tuesday night and held a regular rehearsal with Conductor Abe Rosenthal and accompanist Miss Lillian Fox.

The club rehearsed the program that will be presented at the Rotary club's Annual Institute of World Affairs consisting of four lectures, the first being on January 23 at Smith-Cotton high school.

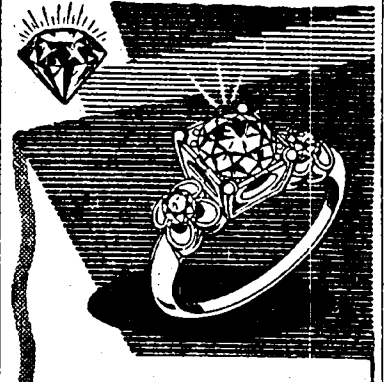
The club will appear at each of these four lectures.

The twenty-two members present were entertained with several numbers by a quartet consisting of Paul Ginn, first tenor, Aubrey Case, second tenor, Ralph Hodges, baritone and Carl Yessen, bass.

An invitation from the California Parent-Teacher Association was read and accepted for March 13th.

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Leslie Hudson Is in Japan

WITH THE EIGHTH ARMY IN SAPPORO, JAPAN—Private First Class Leslie D. Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hudson, Route No. 1, Ottumville, Missouri, has been serving for the past few months as a driver and mechanic for the Medical Company, 31st Infantry. The 31st Infantry is located near the city of Sapporo, Japan, on the Island of Hokkaido.

Pfc. Hudson entered the Army on 24 February 1948, and completed his basic training at Fort Knox, Kentucky. He was then sent overseas to the Far East Command and assigned to the 1st Cavalry Division located near Tokyo, Japan. In May of 1949 he was reassigned to the 7th Infantry Division.

The 31st Infantry with which Pfc. Hudson is at present serving is often referred to as the "Foreign Legion" of the United States Army inasmuch as it has served completely outside the continental limits of the United States since it was originated in the Philippine Islands 33 years ago.

Prior to entering the Army, Pfc.

U. S. Has Franco's Idea
WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(P)—Secretary of State Acheson, said today the United States supports France's view that the SAAR should be detached from Germany.

He told a news conference this country has backed up the French position under three secretaries of state and will continue this support at a final peace settlement with Germany.

It has been found that water made chemically pure by distillation, or boiling and cooling will freeze faster than ordinary water.

For Ambulance Service, Ph 8

Hudson attended Yereailles High School and later worked on his father's farm.

A brother, Chester E. Hudson, is on duty with the Army in Germany.

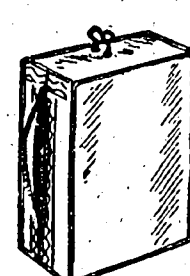
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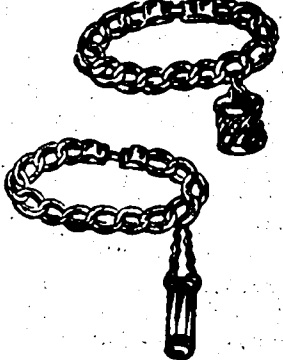
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• The Washington Merry-Go-Round General MacArthur Responsible For Formosa Furor

By Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 — Only a handful
 of Republicans know all the details, but General
 MacArthur had much more to do with
 stirring up the current furor over Formosa
 than even the state department realizes.

The general may or may not have meant
 to throw a political bombshell, but he has cer-
 tainly caused more political headaches and
 come nearer to splitting the bi-partisan foreign
 policy than anything in ten years — though, of
 course, Britain's simultaneous recognition of
 China also helped.

What MacArthur did was to have stern, pri-
 vate talks with visiting GOP congressmen,
 especially bustling Senator Knowland of Cali-
 fornia, plodding Senator Ferguson of Michigan
 and fussy ex-Princeton Professor Smith of New
 Jersey. MacArthur's lectures were delivered in
 a confidential manner with severe instructions
 that he was not to be quoted. His language was
 also stiffer to the congressmen than in his re-
 ports to the army.

Usually he started by saying something like
 this:

"I have not been consulted by Washington on
 strategy in the Far East, and particularly on
 Formosa. If Formosa falls, the cold war is
 lost. Russia will control India in two years and
 our position in Japan will be untenable. Rus-
 sia now has 40,000 troops in fortified islands to
 our north."

Those who raised a delicate question about
 Chiang Kai-shek's integrity received a haughty:
 "The generalissimo is one of the great men to
 come out of the war. He was shamefully sold
 down the river at Yalta and Potsdam. He
 has been smeared by the apologizers and the
 radicals. Yes, there has been corruption in the
 Chiang regime. But it is a product of his en-
 vironment and tradition, and no fault of
 Chiang himself."

MacArthur seemed to take pleasure in over-
 riding the state department in sending two of
 the senators — Ferguson and Smith — to For-
 mosa. After the state department vetoed air-
 plane flights to Formosa for the two senators,
 MacArthur sent the two senators by a special
 plane with a guide from his own staff.

Note 1 — Secretary of Defense Louis John-
 son, who also made a big try for U. S. interven-
 tion in Formosa, is peeved at General Mac-
 Arthur's extra-curricular showmanship, due to
 the fact that assistant secretary of army Tracy
 Voorhees was especially sent to Tokyo in De-
 cember to consult MacArthur and bring back
 his views. However, MacArthur gave Voor-
 hees no such alarming views as he gave the
 wide-eyed congressmen.

Note 2 — Though not as eloquent as Mac-
 Arthur, Adm. Arthur W. Radford also argued
 to congressmen who stopped off in Honolulu
 that Pacific fleet units should cover Formosa.

Kickback Aftermath

Judges sometimes have peculiar ways of
 handing down impartial justice.

Many years ago, when U. S. Judge Henry A.
 Schweinhaut of the District of Columbia was a
 babe in arms, he was pushed around in his car-
 riage by a young woman named Helen Camp-
 bell, a neighbor of the Schweinhaut family.

Years later, Miss Campbell, 63, gray-haired
 and in need of a friend, came before Judge
 Schweinhaut, now in the prime of his life. As
 secretary to Congressman Parnell Thomas, she
 had been instructed by Thomas to arrange for
 certain salary kickbacks and, as a result of
 carrying out orders, had been indicted, along
 with the congressman.

But when her case came before the judge
 whom Miss Campbell had once wheeled in a
 baby carriage, he showed great compassion for
 the congressman, gave him several postponement-
 s on the ground of ill health. In doing so,
 the judge let his former nurse remain under
 the crushing stigma of an indictment for one
 whole year, during which she was barely able
 to make a living.

Finally, another judge took the case, with less
 compassion for Congressman Thomas, more
 compassion for Miss Campbell. Judge Alexan-
 der Holtzoff refused further postponements, and
 in the end dismissed the case against Miss
 Campbell.

Gilding The Dome

An artisans' row over the painting of the
 cathedral-like interior of the capitol dome has
 become so bitter that G-boss J. Edgar Hoover,
 who usually specializes in criminal rather than
 artistic pursuits, has been dragged into the act.
 Hoover's FBI is now probing charges that the
 Schriber Contracting company of Washington,
 which did the paint job under conditions rival-
 ing a circus thriller, violated its contract by
 using a sprayer instead of hand brushes.

The charges were made by two other con-
 tractors who lost out in the bidding, and who
 contend that the spraying effected a big saving to
 the Schriber company unwarranted by the
 contract. Schriber, supported by capitol archi-
 tect David Lynn, vigorously denies this.
 He explains that, with Lynn's approval, he

used a sprayer only on the coffered surface of
 the lofty dome, where it was necessary to get
 into crevices and cornices which wouldn't take
 a hand brush.

Schreiber bid an amazingly low \$26,000 for
 the job, more than \$16,000 under the next low
 bidder and \$37,775 under the highest of eight
 bidders — so the taxpayers didn't lose. The
 contractor attributes his low bid to the time and
 money saved by a new-fangled aluminum
 scaffold — similar to a fire ladder-topped by
 a platform — that whirled the painters about
 the dome's rotunda like men on a flying trapeze.

Committee to Study 'Bigness' In Industry is Badly Needed

By Bruce Blossat

What historians like to call the "business
 community" may take some heart from Sec-
 retary of Commerce Sawyer's plan to go into the
 problem of monopolies.

The announced objective, of course, is to set
 up a committee to study co-ordination of all
 government efforts to stamp out monopoly and
 unfair trade practices. President Truman asked
 for the inquiry.

But from the businessmen's standpoint, prob-
 ably the most important thing about this pro-
 gram is that Sawyer promises to dig into con-
 fusion and overlapping of federal laws on the
 subject, and to attempt to clarify exactly what
 is considered right and wrong.

Sawyer said executives frequently have told
 him they want to operate legally, but actually
 do not know whether certain business practices
 are lawful or not.

The whole question of bigness in industry is
 due for attention. If this issue is really tackled
 earnestly, the investigation could be a mile-
 stone in economic history. For right now there
 is more than a faint hint that bigness is viewed
 by government anti-trust officials as an evil in
 itself.

Yet the judgment of numerous economists and
 other observers is that this notion is an un-
 proved proposition. They contend the govern-
 ment is stretching the anti-trust laws when it
 tries to use them to destroy bigness on the as-
 sumption it is inevitably a menace to free com-
 petition.

The truth of this matter is of vital importance
 to the American people. They enjoy the highest
 standard of living in the world. To what extent
 has bigness in industry, through its evident
 economies, contributed to this standard? If
 business were generally smaller in organization,
 would the standard be higher or lower?

The answers to these questions are too critical
 to be left to Justice Department lawyers who
 may or may not have a real grasp of their
 country's economic development. The plain fact
 is that the "bigness is bad" theory of monopoly
 represents a new idea not set forth in the anti-
 trust laws or even necessarily implied by them.
 The theory is so sweeping that it deserves to
 be explored exhaustively by the nation's finest
 economic brains.

One economist who has given long and pains-
 taking study to the government's anti-trust suit
 against the A. and P. declares that the gravest
 aspect of this move is not the possibility that
 the food chain may be broken into seven smaller
 units. The great danger, he says, is that this case
 may be decided in virtual ignorance of the eco-
 nomic facts governing bigness.

To any American, the taking of any major
 policy decision in an atmosphere of ignorance
 must be an appalling thought. Therefore there
 can be nothing but cheers for Sawyer's pro-
 gram if it means serious grappling with this
 issue. Anything less than that leaves the coun-
 try still floundering on a question crucial to
 its future.

We've Lost a Friend

Americans are accustomed to learning from
 a big corps of foreign correspondents what the
 rest of the world is doing. They would be sur-
 prised at how little the rest of the world hears
 of America. That's true even of Britain and
 other English-speaking nations.

One man who did a lot to tell the American
 story abroad was Sir Willmott Lewis, longtime
 Washington correspondent of the London Times.
 Thus it is with a genuine sense of loss that we
 read of his passing at the age of 72 in the
 capital.

Unlike most foreign reporters who invade
 Washington, Sir Willmott took the trouble to
 find out how our government really works. He
 is said to have known as much about the intri-
 cacies of U. S. politics as any writer in the
 capital. For nearly 30 years he told the British
 the things he learned.

It was wholly fitting that he should have
 chosen to spend his years of retirement not
 in his native Britain but in Washington, the
 place he knew best. We will be lucky ever to
 find again as faithful an interpreter of our na-
 tional life to people abroad.

• So They Say

We need the experience and ingenuity of all
 our citizens in mobilizing our resources to afford
 them full opportunity to work, free from fear
 of economic insecurity.

—Labor Secretary Maurice Tobin.

The returning prisoners whom the Russians
 have released after a hard indoctrination of
 communism have failed completely in building
 up a party in Japan.

—Army Undersecretary Tracy Voorhees.

In our country a woman isn't considered a
 woman until she can attract a man with her
 clothes on.

—Italian actress Marina Bertl, deriding Holly-
 wood "cheesecake" publicity.

I believe that they (Russian leaders) do not
 want war simply because they are cynical real-
 ists who know that in a major war the cards
 would be stacked against them.

—James Warburg, author, economist and
 lecturer.

If we are to achieve peace, we must have a
 positive, forward-looking program to satisfy the
 physical needs and spiritual aspirations of man-
 kind.

—President Truman, on mass hunger.

• Just Town Talk

A SEDALIA Mother
 CALLED HER Young
 DAUGHTER
 EMPLOYED DOWNTOWN
 THE OTHER Afternoon
 AND SHE Was
 ALL EXCITED
 "WHERE IS Your Father?"
 SHE ASKED
 "I CAN'T Get Him
 ON THE Phone"
 "HE'S GONE Out
 OF TOWN For
 THE AFTERNOON"
 SAID DAUGHTER
 "WHY?"
 SHE ASKED
 "I WANT Him

TO RUN Out Home
 WITH THE House Key"
 SHE EXPLAINED
 "I'VE LOCKED
 MYSELF OUT
 AND THERE'S A
 ROAST IN The Oven"
 DAUGHTER
 PROBABLY Thinking
 OF THE Supper
 SHE MIGHT Miss
 SCUFFLED AROUND
 FOUND A Key
 AND SENT It Out
 BY A Friend
 SO IT ALL
 ENDED ALL Right
 I THANK YOU

Abundant Living

by

E. STANLEY JONES

Prov. 22:8; 20:17; 10:2, 9

WALKING WITH THE LIGHTS

The converse of what we are discussing is also true: If
 the nature of reality guarantees the instability of evil, it also
 guarantees the stability of good. Evil, by its very nature, is
 unstable; good, by its very nature, is stable. Evil could not exist
 unless there were enough good thrown around it to make it
 float. Hence every evil that persists has enough good in it to
 keep it going. Were it pure evil, it would collapse. There is
 "honor among thieves;" if there weren't, they could not hold
 together long enough to loot the rest of us. The honor is the
 cement that temporarily holds them together. The further say-
 ing goes, "When thieves fall out"—for they do sooner or later
 fall out when the honor decays.

Dr. Richard Cabot of Harvard says, "When you speak the
 truth, the whole universe is behind you; when you lie, the
 universe is against you." For the universe is not built for the
 success of a lie. You may try to hold lies together with all the
 cleverness and scheming possible, but in the end they will
 break down. Someone put it this way: "You must have a will-
 ingness to rely on the moral nature of the universe which
 guarantees the insecurity of evil."

This discussion may be summed up then in the words of a
 historian: "There is one fact that history sounds—the moral law
 is written in everything." It is "the way" stamped into the
 nature of things—the way it is made to work; and if it tries
 to work some other way, it works its own ruin.

A friend of mine was about to walk across a street against
 the lights when a plainly dressed man stepped up to him
 and said, "My friend, if you want to live long, walk with the
 lights; if you don't, then walk against them." That is the lesson
 which God has hung in the constitution of things. If you don't,
 then walk against God's red lights—and be hurt.

O God, my Light, I looked for Thee in the sky. Thou art
 there, but I see Thou art here too, in the very nature of things.
 Help me to walk with Thy green lights. Forgive me that I
 have walked against Thy red lights. I thought I was only hurt-
 ing Thee. I was hurting myself, too. Amen.

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The Doctor Says—

Severe Attacks of Painful Gout Often Result of Heavy Eating

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.

Written for NEA Service

There are few things more pain-
 ful than attack of acute gout.
 When it is typical, it starts in the
 middle of the night with severe
 pain at the base of one of the big
 toes. This pain is so sharp that it
 usually wakes the victim from a
 sound sleep. People who have
 had gout have described the feel-
 ing as though the joint were be-
 ing pried apart with a red hot
 poker.

Gout is almost always a man's
 disease, though it has been found
 in women. It seems to run to some
 extent in families, though a family
 history of gout cannot always be
 obtained. It is comparatively rare
 before early middle age. Over-
 indulgence in food is likely to
 bring on an attack.

Teep articular parts of food
 which appear to cause most of the
 trouble are called purines. Some
 foods contain purines in large
 amounts, especially sweet breads,
 liver, kidney, squab, and calf's
 tongue. Others like veal, pork,
 beef, sausage, gravies, and several
 kinds of fish, also have a higher
 purine content than is safe for
 people who are afflicted with gout.
Can Become Cute

There is a chronic form of the

disorder usually called gouty
 arthritis. In gouty arthritis crys-
 tal-like substances called urates,
 made of the products of purines,
 are deposited in and near the
 joints. This stage ordinarily is not
 reached until there have been
 many acute attacks of gout over a
 period of years. Fortunately, acute
 gout can be greatly improved by
 proper supervision and improved
 diet and general living conditions.
 Until the last few years gout
 was thought to be decreasing. Al-
 though certainly not common, gout
 is not as rare as was formerly be-
 lieved and not much more is
 known about it than 100 years ago.

Note: Dr. Jordan is unable to
 answer individual questions from
 readers. However, each day he
 will answer one of the most fre-
 quently asked questions in his
 column.

The Doctor Answers

By Edwin P. Jordan, M. D.
QUESTION: If one has
 dropsy, can it return, or is
 there a special diet or rules for
 one to follow to prevent re-
 currence?—B. L.

ANSWER: Dropsy is not
 a disease but is a condition
 in which excessive fluid ac-

• Side Glances



"Don't take him seriously, Mrs. Benson—those guns
 aren't loaded!"

It'll be Interesting to See How This Turns Out



I Love My Doctor

By Evelyn Barkins

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BUT the die was inevitably cast.
 In a short while, we discovered
 that we were definitely "expect-
 ing" and so took the first step out
 of the honeymoon stage without
 the slightest realization of what
 was taking place.

"How come husbands in the
 movies never seem to know be-
 forehand?" I asked John as he
 consulted the calendar. "She
 faints, or drops a little bootee that
 she's knitting, and he acts as flab-
 bergasted as if he were never even
 there!"

John laughed.
 Although I joined in his laugh-
 ter, I still was firm about not re-
 vealing the news until after my
 diploma was secured, and John
 finally agreed. Despite his per-
 sonal excitement, however, his
 professional attitude was as an-
 noyingly consistent as ever. First
 he decided that he would look
 after me prenatally, and call in
 Bob at the end since it was con-
 sidered unethical for a physician
 to deliver his own wife. Then,
 to deliver his own wife. Then,
 thus rapidly completed, he de-
 legated the whole business of hav-
 ing a baby to the unimpressive cubby
 hole reserved for prosaic, routine
 cases in medical practice.

"It's a perfectly natural func-
 tion," he began, like a second-
 grader reciting the pledge to the
 flag. "The most important thing
 to remember is to forget the entire
 matter." This conclusion was of-
 fered like an obstetrician address-
 ing a class for expectant mothers.
 Keeping busy was no task for
 me at that time, or anytime since.
 I was soon fully recovered, back
 in the office, helping John and
 reaping my full share of engross-
 ment and often laughter. If dis-
 traction was all that John pre-
 scribed, then his office was the
 ideal place to get it.

AND "forget it" was exactly
 what John proceeded to do.
 When I developed spells of nau-

sea, and complained because I had
 to sneak out of the lecture hall at
 school, he merely said with his
 usual exasperating nonchalance
 toward non-dangerous uncomfort-
 able symptoms: "Morning sickness
 is common enough, and of no sig-
 nificance at all. Don't worry."

Besides keeping busy in the
 office, I found myself flung into
 the final throes of cramming at
 school. The effort of covering the
 whole year's law work in prepa-
 ration for the concluding examina-
 tions, as well as the state bar, was
 no negligible matter.

"Thank Heaven that's all over!"
 I told John one day after the last
 paper had been handed in, and I
 came home from school for the
 last time.

"Think you passed?" asked
 John, as I fell wearily on the
 couch.

"I prayed hard enough," I an-
 swered confidently, as if prayer
 could alter the facts of how much
 two plus two make, or what Jus-
 tice Marshall said more than 100
 years ago.

"When's graduation?" he asked
 equally confident.

"Got something for me?" I spoke
 with renewed interest.

John's face fell 20 points. "Gifts
 again!" he groaned. "I clean for-
 got. Don't worry, though, now I'll
 remember. I tell you though,
 sweetie," he went on half jokingly,
 "the Bible says Jacob served seven
 years for Rachel, but sometimes I
 think that modern man never fin-
 ishes serving."

"It wasn't such a horrible job
 for you when we were engaged,
 and first married," I answered,
 trying to joke back, but not suc-
 ceeding very well. "You used to
 get me loads of things then."
 "That's just it," said John. "A
 fellow kind of runs out of ideas.
 Besides, I've got a lot more on my
 mind now."

"Well, anyway," I said delib-
 erately turning away from this
 Scylla and Charybdis topic, "you'd

better wait and see how I make
 out."

I made out pretty well, all
 things considered, and on gradua-
 tion morning I set out proudly for
 the commencement exercises with
 John, my mother and my father,
 and Lizzie too, as John called our
 expected.

AFTER the ordinary hectic fare-
 wells and vows of eternal
 friendship had been freely ex-
 changed with even some class-
 mates I had never spoken to be-
 fore, my family party drove down
 in my father's car to lunch at one
 of those thrillingly expensive res-
 taurants, where the menu actually
 reads like the financial budget of a
 foreign republic. In these vestigial
 establishments, whose sole raison
 d'être is perhaps to cater to groups
 like ours where celebration rather
 than digestion is the primary con-
 sideration, tiny potatoes are pre-
 sented individually as if they were
 gold nuggets; and the service is as
 elegantly protracted as an inaugu-
 ral procession to Chopin's Funeral
 March.

On the way home my mother
 said, "I'd be a lot more excited
 about your being a lawyer, if you
 were unmarried like the others in
 your class. Tell me, dear, what do
 you plan doing now?"

"Sleep," I replied immediately.
 "I'm going to sleep until 12 o'clock
 every day to make up for the years
 of jumping out of bed and rushing
 out. Then I'll make my place in
 the world."

This worthy ambition lasted
 only one week, after which time
 the full significance of my gradua-
 tion made itself felt.

"I can't believe that I'll never
 go back to school again, that a
 whole part of my life is over." I
 told John thoughtfully one morn-
 ing.

"That's how I felt too," said
 John. "But you'll get over it. In
 fact, now I believe Life Begins at
 Graduation."

The shadow of change came over
 me then for the first time and I
 experienced a subconscious re-
 luctance about leaving the com-
 fortable familiarity, and moving
 ahead.

(To Be Continued)

Ruth Millett

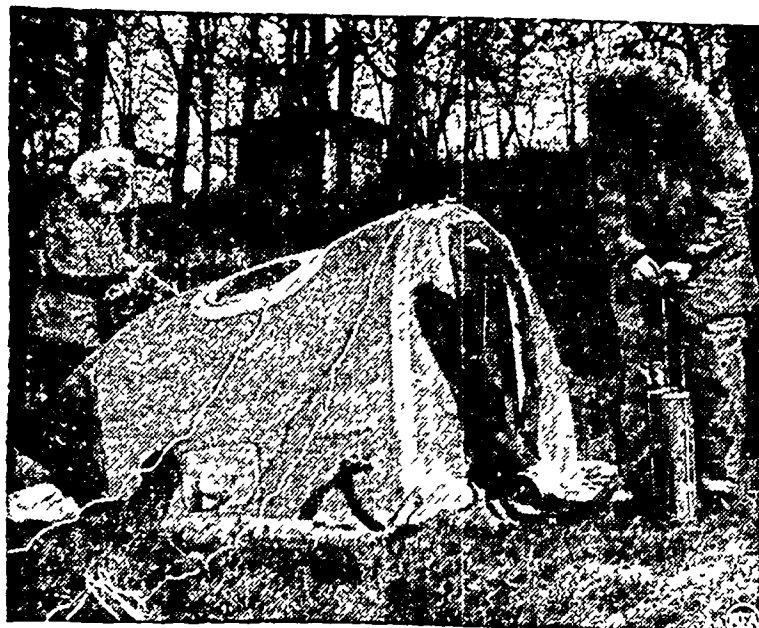
Why Girls, It's a Cinch To Get Along With Men

It's easy for a woman to get
 along with a man if she just re-
 members these important facts:
 That a man likes comfort.
 Never rob him of his comfort un-
 less you have to. If he's feeling
 good, don't remind him of any
 worry or problem he has put out
 of his mind for the time being.
 If he's enjoying the evening pa-
 per, don't ask him to do an odd
 job that could be put off until
 later.

That a man likes women. That
 means that ever though he is
 married, he still gets pleasure out
 of having some other woman play
 up to him a little. You can spoil
 it all by running down the woman
 who listened to him fascinated at
 a party or by telling him he
 made a fool of himself paying so
 much attention to her. But why
 turn into a snrew in order to pun-
 ish him for something he can't
 help—liking the flattery of a
 woman's attention?

That a man hates to have to
 answer questions. Just don't pin
 him down. Let him tell you just
 as much as he wants to tell you.
 You'll never really find out any-
 more than that anyway.

Quonset Huts Declared Obsolete For Future GIs



BLOWING UP: When the soldier finishes pumping air into this Neoprene hut, it will have two sections like the one you see.

By DOUGLAS LARSEN
NEA Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON (NEA)—Millions of ex-servicemen will think that this announcement comes about 10 years too late, but the quonset hut has now been declared obsolete as a means of housing troops.

What they're coming up with to take the place of the round-top, corrugated iron home-sweet-home for GIs of World War II promises to be more draft-proof, less leaky and less inviting to vermin. But nowhere is the specifications is there an indication that they are any cozier.

With the military planners convinced that if there is another war it'll be fought in the world's cold regions, emphasis has been placed on developing a cold-proof and snow-proof shelter. Most radical result is a hut with walls of cotton, coated with rubber-like Neoprene, that is inflated with a hand pump in three minutes.

Although this sounds like flimsy construction for the Arctic, tests have shown that it won't collapse under 500 pounds of snow or ice and that it withstands winds up to 100 miles per hour. Easily carried, it has two air-proof plexiglass windows and houses four men comfortably—according to the instructions on the cover. A large flexible tube 10 feet long admits air without letting the wind scream in.

When inflated it stands four feet

high. It is seven feet wide and nine feet long.

Another cold-weather house in advance stages of development is made of insulated aluminum panels, which, when assembled are sealed together by rubber gaskets and locked in place by a patented wedge. One basic unit, which provides 600 sq ft of floor space, is made from 87 four-by-eight-foot panels.

Any sized structure can be made from the panels. Two men, without help of machinery, can assemble a unit in a very short time. Light-weight beams support the roof.

Both the Neoprene house and the aluminum panel house, which is called the Dodge Cycleweid prefab, are especially adaptable to being carried in airplanes. Two aluminum houses and a great many of the fabric houses can be carried in one C-82 Packet airplane, for example.

Extensive Arctic tests with these houses will soon be under way to test their value under simulated combat conditions. The fabric shelter gives promise of being very valuable for Arctic rescue work. It can easily be dropped from the air to survivors on the ground. And a minimum of effort is needed to make it livable.

In addition to these new ideas, the Army engineers are working on the design of a simple, structure that can be made of any one of several kinds of materials is easily prefabricated, easily as-



HAULING A HOME: After arri ng by air, deflated Neoprene hut is dragged to site where soldiers will erect it—with a pump.

Community News from FLORENCE

(MRS. HAROLD ELDENBERG) At the regular meeting of the Blumh Parent Teachers Association the members of the Lemler P. T. A. were guests. The school children of both schools presented several program numbers. There was a large crowd in attendance and refreshments of cake, sandwiches and cocoa were served.

Clyde Meyers and Norman worthly have employment in Kansas City. They are moving their trailer houses there and their families will join them Wednesday.

A number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Susan Schupp of Sedalia. She was a sister of James Combs of near Florence and interment was made in the family lot at the Florence cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Siegel and Doris June, visited Mrs. Siegel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eichholz and Dora, near Syracuse, Sunday night.

Mrs. Martha Houchen and Mary, spent Monday in the Carl Bremer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kurtz and daughter, returned here last week from a fortnight's visit with relatives of Mrs. Kurtz in Oberlin, Kas.

Mrs. Charles Page was taken to Bothwell hospital Tuesday of last week. She is suffering from a throat infection.

Mrs. Forest Hampy spent Tuesday January 10th with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellison in Smithton, the occasion being their forty-fourth wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Joe Kanenbley spent the week-end visiting relatives in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Siegel went to Kansas City Friday where Mrs. Siegel will receive medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralph Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Don Barnes and Joe Wesley of Moberly and Miss Ona Rages of Columbia, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rages. Donald and Mrs. Matilda Ditzfeld, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eldenberg and Robert, were afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mertgen and Barbara Ann, visited Mr. and Mrs. Amos Oehrke and family Friday night the occasion being Mrs. Oehrke's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lemler and family visited in the Ed Rasa home Sunday. Mr. Rasa who was

sembled and easily transported. One of the big faults of the old type quonset was the difficulty of packing and shipping the curved roof sections.

The basic housing unit the engineers have in mind would look like one-half of an ordinary garage. It would have a sloping instead of a curved roof. And when two units were put together the roof would slope from the middle. Panels and beams could be made out of steel, or wood, or possibly plastic, whichever material happened to be most available.

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The 'Unkissable Pedestrian' Dead



Kirby McRill (above), 75, Kansas City's best known pedestrian, was killed by an automobile Jan. 17. Conspicuous with his bushy hair and flowing beard, McRill dominated the scene in recent years along once-gaudy Twelfth street. Among the titles he bestowed upon himself was that of "the unkissable pedestrian." He first gained prominence in the '20s for his walking feats, making one jaunt as far as Chicago. (AP Wirephoto)

injured several weeks ago is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mertgen, called on Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hampy Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Anderson and Beverly, were dinner guests in the Clarence Bremer home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mertgen, Mrs. Wray Allen, Donald Eldenberg and Mr. and Mrs. Harold El-

denberg and Robert, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Broderson and Judith Ann, Saturday night.

Doris June Siegel is visiting her grandparents near Syracuse.

Dewey Crider made a trip to St. Louis over the week-end to take several persons from Jefferson City to St. Louis to give transfusions for his brother-in-law, Henry Beaker.

Mrs. Harry Mertgen is suffering from an abscess in her ear. Darlene Oehrke is assisting in the Mertgen home.

The Florence Kola club held its regular meeting at the club house Wednesday January 11th. Those attending enjoyed a contributed luncheon at the noon hour. The singing of "Home On The Range" followed by repeating the club pledge, Psalms 19 14 opened the business meeting over which

Mr. Leo Wray presided. She read a poem "I Know Something Good About You." Roll call was answered by "A Gift I Would Like From My Club Pal." Mrs. Chester Anderson read the minutes of the last meeting and Mrs. C. E. Williamson presented the treasurer's report. The club voted to continue the birthday offering during 1950.

In drawing up plans for cheering up members who are ill the club was divided into three groups each group will prepare a "Sunshine Box." The program that was prepared by Mrs. Joe Kanenbley consisted of a poem "Count Me As One" by Mrs. Dewey Crider, a humorous reading, "Mr. Potts vs The Splinter" by Mrs. Eral Thurman and "New Year's Thoughts" by Mrs. Edwin Bremer. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Oscar Oehrke on February

8th at which time the members will have a feed-sack dress parade.

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Mrs. Rose Ann Pace
Mrs. Rose Ann Pace died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner, California, Mo., Tuesday at 1:00 o'clock p. m., after an illness of 11 weeks. She was born in Adams county, Ill., February 6, 1857. At the time of her death she was 92 years of age. She was the oldest of 10 children born to William and Lucinda Leaton. She was married to Martin William Pace in Cole county May 23, 1880. To this union were born seven children who survive. They are: Mrs. H. E. French, Mrs. T. A. Haeslip, both of Sedalia; G. W. Pace of Napton; W. O. Pace of Nelson; Mrs. Len Martin of Welch, Okla.; Mrs. Dorothy Hood and Mrs. George Wagner of California, Mo. She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ada McCutcheon, of Nelson, and Mrs. Mary Pace of Marshall; one brother, Lewis Leaton of Ottumville; 18 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and one great grandchild.

She was the oldest member of the California Methodist church. A short service will be conducted by the Rev. George Hessler at 11:15 o'clock a. m. Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner to be followed by the burial rights at 2:30 o'clock at Smith's chapel in Saline county where Mr. Pace is buried.

The body is at the Wagner home.

Mrs. Alpha A. Carpenter Kinney
Mrs. Alpha A. Carpenter Kinney, oldest daughter of the late Dee and Mary Carpenter, died at her home in Fortuna on Saturday, January 14. She was 77 years old.

She was married to Thomas McKinney who preceded her in death. To this union four daughters were born, Mary Ann, who died in infancy; (Bertha) Mrs. Carl Blankenship, of the home, (Rose) Mrs. Gideon Hostetter of St. Louis and (Ethel) Mrs. Gilbert Starks of St. Louis.

She joined the Liberty Baptist church when a young woman and later moved her membership to the Fortuna Baptist church.

Mrs. McKinney's entire life was spent in the Fortuna community.

Surviving her besides her three daughters, are one brother, Thomas Carpenter, of Tipton, two grandsons, Phil Starks, of St. Louis and Mancel Blankenship of the home, three nephews and one niece.

Funeral services were held on Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the Baptist church in Fortuna, with the Rev. Burl Gray, pastor of the Baptist church officiating. Burial was in the Masonic cemetery at Tipton.

Pallbearers were A. P. Foley, Eliza Fisher, Lloyd Dornan, Edgar Drake, Woodrow Newkirk and Gene Kenney.

Miss Fannie B. Collins
Miss Fannie B. Collins, 82 years of age, a well known educator, died January 15 at her home in Great Falls, Mont.

She was born at Knob Noster in the year 1858, and started her life-long career as a school teacher at the Knob Noster public school in the year 1886. She left Knob Noster in the year 1900 to teach at Great Falls. She was a teacher and a principal at the B and M school in Great Falls for the past 50 years. Following her retirement from that school five years ago, the building was named in her honor, and is known as the Fannie B. Collins school.

Surviving are two brothers, residing in Sedalia, Harry Collins, 629 East Eleventh street, and Hugh Collins, 911 East Sixth street, and a sister, Miss Grace Collins, a former school teacher in Sedalia, who is now teaching in Great Falls and who made her home with her sister.

Mrs. Fred Etzbach Service
Funeral services for Mrs. Fred Etzbach, who died at her home, 1107 South Massachusetts avenue, Monday morning, were held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church, with the Rev. W. C. Bessmer officiating.

Friends who served as the pall-

Civic Council Annual Grid Banquet



The annual Civic Council football banquet, honoring the Smith-Cotton high school Tigers champions of the Central Missouri Grid Conference, was held at the Bothwell hotel Tuesday night. It was attended by more than 140 persons who heard Coach Don Faurot, director of athletics at the University of Missouri, give the principal talk. The crowd in the picture above was entertained with football pictures following the banquet and talk. (Padgett Photo).

beaters were: Walter J. Kennedy, Charles Plumlee, Arthur Bill, Rudolph Ramlow, Fred Brink and John Imberger.

Burial was in the Memorial Park cemetery.

Mrs. Sadie Dozier Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Sadie Dozier, who died at her home in St. Louis, Monday, were held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the McLaughlin chapel, Rev. R. E. Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, officiated.

Pallbearers were: Dorsey Walters, Henry Richman, William Wade, Fowler Thomas, Ed Hixon and Dave Shipp.

Mrs. V. G. Tucker and Mrs. Homer Hall, accompanied by Mrs. H. O. Foraker at the organ sang, "In the Garden," "It Is Well With My Soul" and "Beyond the Sunset."

Burial was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

In addition to survivors as previously printed, a daughter, Mrs. Iris Gaines of St. Louis, survives.

Mrs. Jessie Anderson Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Jessie Cheatham Anderson, 71 years old, who died at her home, 1624 West Seventh street, Tuesday morning, were held at the Gillespie funeral home this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with the Rev. H. U. Campbell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church, officiating.

Pallbearers were: Perry Strole, Robert Fritz, Leonard Hale, Clem Warbritton, Clarence Anderson and Joseph Moffatt.

Mrs. C. D. Demand, accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser, sang "Shadows."

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Plane Carries Arnold's Body

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(AP)—A transport plane, bearing the five-star insignia of the nation's highest military rank, today brought the body of Gen. Henry H. (Hap) Arnold here for burial in Arlington National cemetery.

The wartime commander of the air forces died Sunday of a heart attack at his Sonoma, Calif., ranch home. The funeral will be tomorrow.

Two Captured; Two Escaped

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Two Missouri penitentiary trustees who drove away in a prison car Sunday were captured last night, still in the official automobile.

The Highway Patrol reported Charles Edward McAllester and Henry Maupin were arrested by Louisiana state police at Monroe, La. The men claimed to be on an official mission for the Missouri prison, but Louisiana police didn't fall for the story, the Patrol said.

Fined Twenty-Five Dollars

H. R. Strough, who gave his home as Kansas City, arrested by the State Highway Patrol at Gasoline Alley, on West Highway 50, pleaded guilty to charges of peace disturbance and was fined \$25 and costs by Judge W. M. Ilgenfritz in Magistrate court this morning.

Strough paid the fine and costs and was released.

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Coach Ashford Of Marshall Lions' Speaker

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Father Anthony Magoni, director of athletics at Sacred Heart high school, who in turn introduced Coach Palmer Nichols of the Gremlins. Coach Nichols then introduced his squad: Jerry Labus, Captain J. Paxton, Bill Hodges, Jimmy Bus, Joe Mehl, Jim Labus, Jim Fall, Jim Menefee, Jess Martin and Kenneth Jett.

Introduced Benson

President Haller then introduced Joe Benson, superintendent of Smith-Cotton who in turn presented Coach Jim Ball. Coach Ball introduced his assistant, Howard Glavin, of whom he said: "I think he should be just called Coach instead of assistant, because he keeps pushing into my squad real ball players. He then introduced the basketball squad: Jack Edwards, Dale Ruffin, Bill Brown, Ralph 'Otto' Holst, Marvin Lankenau, Ralph Walker, seniors; Eddie Johnson, Bill Morgan, Bill Cray, and Tom Menefee.

Guests other than those mentioned were: Charles and Philip Patterson with Lloyd Phillips, E. W. Leppert, visiting Lion from Oklahoma City, and Kenneth Leslie with Ed Smith.

Call For Flood Fighters

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their homes in Illinois and Indiana. The floodwaters have caused widespread damage to crops, livestock and property.

While floods harassed wide areas in the midwest and south, a new fast-moving storm roared through the central Great Plains and howled across the northern Great Lakes region. It headed for the north central states.

The storm brought strong winds and snow. There was considerable drifting and blowing in Minnesota, northern Wisconsin and upper Michigan. The blanket at Calumet, Mich., measured 39 inches. Temperatures over the storm belt dropped sharply.

Arizonian is Honor Guest

FULTON, Mo., Jan. 18.—(AP)—T. Roger Blythe, Tucson, Ariz., was announced today as the guest of honor at the 45th annual Kingdom of Callaway supper January 24.

The guest of honor at the country-wide gathering must have "gone away from the county and made good," according to requirements established years ago.

Blythe is a pencil sketch artist and publisher of souvenir booklets.

Approximately 700 have made reservations for the annual affair. Also to be honored is the individual or group which has made the most outstanding contributions to the country during the past year.

Caught Pilfering Coins From Church

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Billy Eugene Ellsworth, 25-year-old county jail parolee, was back in jail today—this time for pilfering coins from a church offering box.

Ellsworth was collared yesterday by the Rev. V. A. Schroeger, pastor of St. Agnes Catholic church, in the church with a handful of coins.

Ellsworth first claimed the coins had spilled and he was picking them up to take to the priest.

In magistrate court today, Ellsworth confessed he intended to take the money.

Magistrate W. K. Webb gave him six months for petty larceny.

Attorney's Wife Dies

HANNIBAL, Mo., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Mrs. Charles Rendlen, wife of a widely known attorney, died in a Hannibal hospital yesterday after a brief illness. She was 60 years old.

She and Mr. Rendlen were married in 1916. Surviving are three sons, Branham, Charles Jr., and Albert, all attorneys here, and a daughter, Mrs. Morton Weaver, wife of a Hannibal banker.

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Million In Cash Is Stolen

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under orders to "break this thing up before a new outbreak develops."

FBI agents across the country were alerted because Federal Reserve Bank funds were included in the loot.

Hunt Is On

Ellis Hult, vice-president of the Boston Federal Reserve, said that the looted money transportation firm handles the delivery of funds of a number of member banks.

In a special department order, Police Supt. Edward W. Fallon told his men:

"Don't stop until you find these men. I want every available detective to work on this case."

The gunmen—in a 20-minute precision raid—snatched the money from an open vault in the sprawling waterfront garage of Brink's Inc., a money transportation firm, after gagging and trusting five employees last night.

Along with the million in cash the gangsters grabbed \$500,000 in checks.

Had Master Key
Cruiser cars raced through the city and outlying districts during the night running down a number of tips that proved worthless.

Shortly after the holdup, police chased at break-neck speed a five-passenger black Cadillac sedan thought to be the getaway car. They lost it in the city's West Roxbury district.

Police believed the car, bearing stolen registration plates, headed for Providence, R. I. The plates (Mass. 156,533) were stolen in Boston last week, police said.

"It's very obvious," Fallon said, "that these men used a master key to open all those doors." The gunmen went through six locked doors before reaching the vault where they cowed five employees.

\$15,000 Damage Suit Is Filed

A damage suit seeking \$15,000 from the Missouri Pacific railroad was filed in the Pettis county circuit this afternoon by Mrs. Kathryn Shumate, 223 East Walnut street, for the loss of her husband, Marvin Eugene Shumate, who was killed in a crossing accident northwest of Sedalia. The suit was brought against Guy A. Thompson, trustee for the railroad.

Shumate was instantly killed on the morning of November 18, 1949, when a Jeep panel truck and a Missouri Pacific train collided at the Oak Grove crossing. Four other men were instantly killed in the accident, and another died from injuries. Two other men were seriously injured in the mishap.

Fred F. Wesner and John C. McCloskey are attorneys in the case for the plaintiff.

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Pet Shop Owner Prospers Renting Out All Varieties

By William J. Conway

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—(P)—Wanna rent a duck?

Why you would want to rent one is your business. But renting out 27 varieties of birds, fish and animals is the business of a man named Clarence Hoffmann.

Hoffmann runs a pet shop called the "Animal Kingdom." It just sold pets and supplies, like any other pet shop, until two years ago.

Then some magicians came in to get a few white rabbits and white doves. They and Hoffmann got to talking. It seemed a cruel shame to buy the gentle creatures, use them during an engagement, and then destroy them. Why couldn't they be rented?

Hoffmann has been doing that ever since. It's a growing business.

His best customers are in television. One pet show uses some furry or feathered guest stars every week. Another put on a similar birthday party. Four monkeys were seated at a table around a big wheeled cream cake. They soon learned the cake was good eating and not bad for throwing, either.

"Animals," says Hoffmann, "take to acting roles naturally."

Hired a Crow

One TV performer whose forte is smooth, gentle patter hired a crow just to perch on his arm. The crow padded his part a bit and caused quite a flurry.

The animals seem to have a knack for going along with a gag, particularly when it calls for them to (1) do nothing or (2) do whatever they would do anyway under the circumstances.

A video producer figured the monkeys he would use wouldn't ever have to read the script. All they had to do was climb a Christmas tree. On another program a clown put a cat in a box. The box was switched while the clown's back was turned. Then he reached for the cat and came up with a skunk. If the audience held its nose, it was not because of a feeble performance on the part of the skunk.

People who rent the pets get food and instructions on their care from Hoffmann. Here have been no cases of illness, he says, and none has died.

Cage of Monkeys in Lobby

A cage of his monkeys was set up in a theater lobby during the showing of a jungle movie. One of his dogs appeared in an educational safety film. Two dozen crows were used in a pie company's exhibit at the Chicago railroad fair. They were put in a pie. When the pie was opened—remember the nursery rhyme?—out flew the "four and twenty blackbirds."

A candy firm put monkeys on display at a convention booth. The purpose was to attract attention. The men flocked around, but the presence of a hula dancer in a grass skirt may have had something to do with it.

Birds Worked With Soprano

"Spike" Jones took a white rat and two doves with him and his band on the road. The birds worked with a soprano. The soprano's voice screeched higher and higher until she was silenced with a blast from a shotgun. As she dropped, her false hair-do fell off, and the doves hopped out of it and fluttered away.

The white rat was assigned to a violinist who wore a motorboard hat. As the musician played, the rat gamboled on his headpiece. But the rat was sent home from some place in Ohio. He was strictly from hunger—and his hunger was concentrated on the fiddler's ear.

Mackenzie's Column

By Marc Purdue

(For Dewitt Mackenzie)

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst
NEW DELHI — Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru's government has rejected as superfluous the warnings of astrologers that Jan. 26, 1950 is not an auspicious date for launching the republic of India.

The government of India knows without consulting the stars that the constitution of the new republic is being launched at a most inauspicious time and under most unfavorable conditions.

The new state will come into being under heavy internal and external pressures. The problems confronting the government are complex and solution of many of them appears impossible.

Nevertheless, India's leaders say, it's now or never. Having come this far on the freedom road, there is nothing to be gained in waiting for favorable omens.

The clouds that hang over the new nation are so heavy it is difficult to find a hopeful ray of light. Here are some of the more pressing concerns of the men who lead India:

Economy — India's dilemma for generations has been how to feed, house and provide employment for a population that continues to grow by the millions yearly. The Nehru government has declared India must be self sufficient in food by the end of 1951. Perhaps, with great sacrifice and hard work, this goal can be reached.

THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT
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Many experts doubt India's food production can keep abreast of its birth rate.

India is classed as an undeveloped area. It needs capital for industrial government. Indian capital is virtually on strike. So long as Indians refuse to finance their own country's development, foreign capital is unlikely to volunteer.

Britain still owes India an enormous war debt. So long as most of her credits remain in sterling, India is unable to break away from the sterling bloc and must share its headaches.

Internal Divisions — India is not yet a completely unified, integrated nation. There are intense regional rivalries. These flared into the open last year when extreme nationalists forced constitutional provision that Hindi be the national language. Only a portion of the country is familiar with Hindi and opposition to the measure revealed dozens of animosities between north and south, east and west and between province and province.

Reactionary movements — Independence has given a boost to the popularity of ultra-orthodox and near-totalitarian organizations such as the Hindu Mahasabha and the Sikh Akali Dal.

Political Incapacity — Although Nehru leads a number of able and talented men in the central government, provincial politics in the new India present a sordid picture. Vindictive personal rivalries, power-grabbing cliques, inexperience and inability and plain corruption have disgusted the public.

Communism versus Democracy — India is caught squarely in the struggle that affects all the world in some degree. Her present government is resolved to stay aloof, but India's present government is unlikely to swing over to the Reds. However, unless it can bring some prosperity to India this government may be swept aside like Chiang Kai-shek's.

Cold War — Engrossed with problems of wider scope, much of the world has overlooked the cold war being waged between India and Pakistan. Visitors have been surprised at the bitterness on both sides. The Kashmir dispute is unsettled. An almost complete business and banking blockade has been in effect for four months. Quarrels over water rights, property claims and even the border itself, continue.

Such a dark picture cannot be unrelieved. There is a bright side and some ground for an optimistic outlook for India. They lie in the determination and energy of the country's veteran leaders and in the increasing national consciousness and growing loyalty of the masses.

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Detroiters at Dinner Burned

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The injured included Malcolm W. Bingay, editorial director of the Detroit Free Press, Detroit Recorder's Judge Joseph A. Gillis and Circuit Judge Ira W. Jayne. Bingay and Gillis were reported in serious condition.

Recorder's Judge John P. Scalien, who aided the injured, said brandy was being poured into the flaming coffee.

Alcohol fumes apparently collected when the air became charged, causing the explosion.

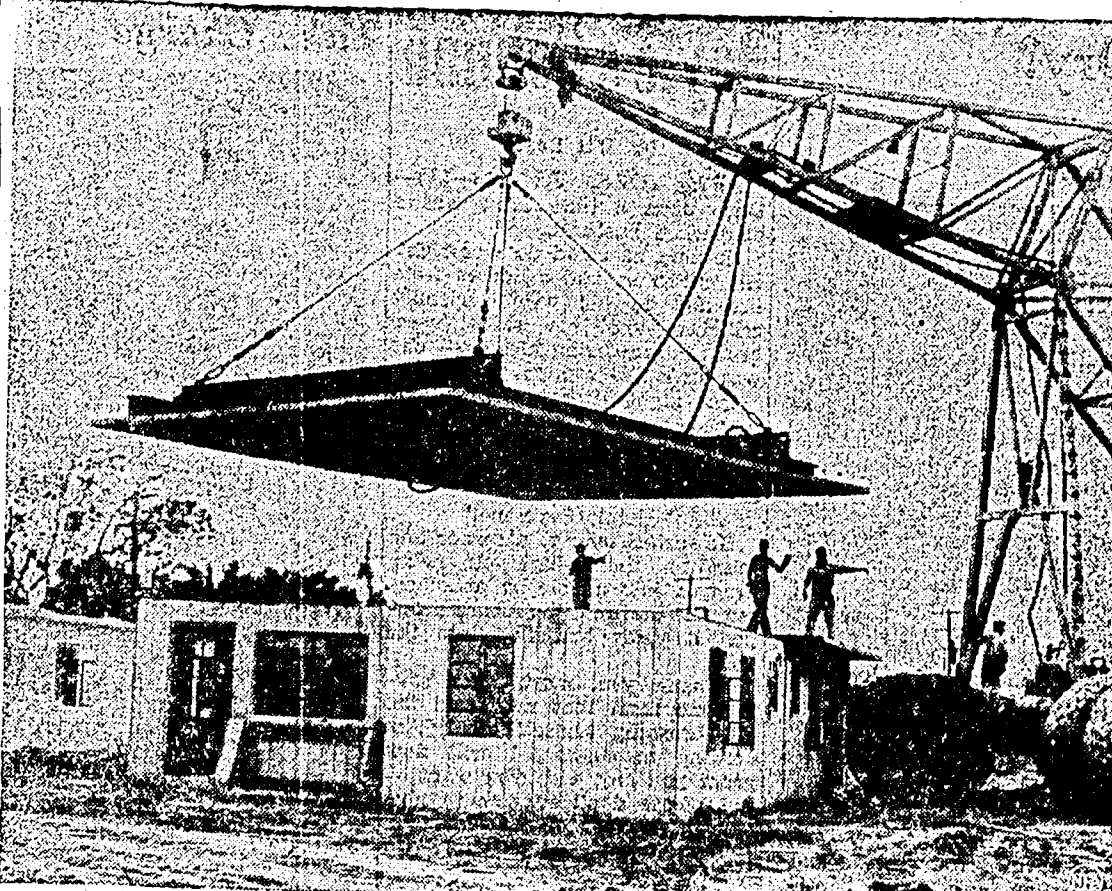
Flaming liquid sprayed over the diners seated within 20 feet. Flames shot 10 feet into the air.

The diners, guests of a union at the AFL labor temple, were seated around a U-shaped table. The flames shot into the faces of the most seriously injured.

Cat Swims For Meals

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—(P)—There is one cat near here that not only swims but gets his daily food at the same time.

The cat dives into Lake Springfield after it spots a fish in the water which is way over its head and comes up with a meal.



NOTHING BUT NOTHING RAISES THIS ROOF—A 17-ton prefabricated concrete roof is lifted, without hooks, bolts, magnetism or glue, and set in place on a house in Norfolk, Va. Air suction, alone or vacuum, enables the crane to pick up and move the heavy slab. The device, called a vacuum lifter, removes all air from top of the slab and lifts it evenly, without danger of cracking the concrete. As a safety factor, the inventor says, the slab could not be released for five minutes even if vacuum pipes should become disconnected.

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Once He Paid to Throw Them Away; Now He Seeks a Vintage '28 Video Set

By RICHARD KLEINER
NEA Staff Correspondent

LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y.—(NEA)—If you've got a 22-year-old television receiver lurking in your attic, Isidore Goldberg would be very much interested in hearing from you.

It may come as a shock to learn that television is that ancient, but regular daily telecasts were carried in 1928. Goldberg is the man responsible for making the early receivers and putting on the early programs. Now he'd like to find one of his old sets.

"I betcha I must have paid to have the darn thing thrown away in '29," he says "If I'd kept up those programs, I'd have gone broke."

It was on August 15, 1928, that a New York newspaper carried a small story of the event, under the headline, "PEOPLE'S IMAGES TO BE CARRIED ON RADIO."

Goldberg, president of Pilot Radio Corp., has been in radio since 1908, when he began fiddling around with cat's whiskers receivers and started a mail-order business for the early radio amateurs.

The idea of transmitting pictures through air is an old one, but Goldberg says, "I was the only dope who was dopey enough to keep going." His chief engineer in 1928, John Geloso, perfected a system based on the "Nipkow Disk," which was developed as early as 1882.

This was a mechanical, rather than electronic, method of transmitting images. It was a mechanical canning system which dissected the picture into units and then recombined it.

The screen on those 1928 television receivers was 1½ inches square. To produce that image, a disk 30 inches in diameter was needed. For a screen of 10 inches, a normal-sized one today, the disk would have to be about 16½ feet in diameter, a trifle large for the average living room.

Another problem which made the 1928 receiver uncommercial was that the disk at the transmitter and the disk at the receiver had to be rotating at exactly the same speed. The slightest variation and the screen went blank.

Actually, the poor commercial possibilities of the development were not what made Goldberg quit. After four or five months of daily telecasts, with an hour in the afternoon and another in the evening, he decided to move his plant to Lawrence, Mass., and the whole thing was dropped.

His company didn't manufacture receivers in 1928. It sold plans and parts to amateurs. For \$100, a person could get the works. About 500 such kits were sold.

The early telecasts were received favorably by the press. "The images were not perfect, but they were readily recognizable," wrote a Lewiston, Me., reporter who had witnessed a telecast.

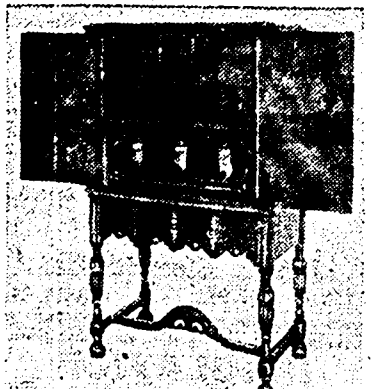
Programs consisted mainly of singers and instrumentalists. They were transmitted from Coytesville, N. J., now Fort Lee. The person to be televised sat in a booth facing three large photoelectric cells arranged in a triangle on a wooden frame. In the center was a six-inch opening for the camera. The camera wasn't mobile, and the subject had to sit still or his image was lost.

In October of 1928, the television gadget was shown at the Electrical and Industrial Exposition at New York's Grand Central Palace. "Visitors who wish to do so may have their images televised," said a note in the program. Goldberg recalls that the lines were terrific, and that once police had to be called to stop a minor riot of persons wanting to be televised.

"But most of them thought it was a fake," he says. "They thought it was done by mirrors." Television today, according to Goldberg, is 95 per cent perfected. The image, he says, is as clear as it will ever be, although minor



ISIDORE GOLDBERG: "The only dope . . . to keep going."



1928 VIDEO SET: The public suspected mirrors.

refinements, such as elimination of ghosts, need to be made. "Only color and transmission on ultra high frequencies, for the folks in the sticks, remain to be perfected," he says.

Auditorium Repaired After Sixteen Years

WHITTIER, Calif. — (P) — More than 16 years after the disastrous Southern California earthquake of 1933, this city is getting around to repairing its high school auditorium.

The quake damaged roof supports and beams and the building was abandoned. It has been forbidden territory for students ever since. The city once decided to remodel it, then learned a larger building was needed because of an increase in the number of students.

Now workmen are ripping off the roof. Using the original walls they will convert it, at a cost of \$381,000, into a classroom and library building.

Afghan Nomads Move Again

KABUL — (P) — One of the world's few remaining nomadic movements is taking place in Afghanistan, where long camel caravans are leaving the cold grasslands of central Asia for the warm plains of Pakistan. The migrants are the Kuchis, who travel thousands of miles each year accompanied by ill-tempered bactrian camels and patient donkeys.

At the head of each caravan strides the patriarch, with lengthy beard, loose turban, and flowing robes. Only a modern rifle shows the influence of a newer world. At his back follow camels, fastened nose to tail and piled high with goods, chickens, and children. In the rear come the women, tall, hawk-faced, with flash in geyes and ready tongues. Around the caravan, the youngsters play, accompanied by ferocious crop-eared dogs.

At night, the caravans cluster in tiny camps under the peaks of the Hindu Kush. Black felt tents arise. The smoke of camel thorn fires mingles with the smell of roasting mutton. From the nearby highway may come the hum of a passing car, but to the Kuchis life goes on in its placid and ancient way.

McKENNEY Answers Your CANASTA Questions

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority
Written for NEA Service.

As I told you, Ely Culbertson has now joined the ranks of the Canasta authorities and has just published a new book entitled "Culbertson on Canasta." In his new book he gives several very good examples of freezing the pack. There are several occasions when you should freeze. The defensive freeze is one not well understood by even the average player.

I have built up a good example of the defensive freeze which is example on page 49 of his new book. Your hand after the pick (you need 120 meld):

2-A-K-K-J-J-10-10-9-7-5-5
Opponents' melds:
Joker-A-A-A-A
2-K-K-K
2-8-8-8-8
2-7-7-7-7
6-6-6-6
2-4-4-4-4

Each opponent has eight cards. Freeze, and hope that your partner will be able to come down sooner or later. There is no other chance to prevent a complete slaughter.

Here is another interesting point brought out by Culbertson, illustrating one of the times that you do not freeze the pack.

Your melds:
2-A-A-A-A
2-Q-Q-Q
2-7-7-7
2-6-6-6
5-5-5
Opponents' melds:
Joker-A-A-A
2-K-K
10-10-10

Your hand, (after taking a pack):

2-2-K-J-J-10-9-9-8-8-7-5-4-4-3-3

You and your partner have taken several packs and your partner has 13 cards. Opponents six cards each. Do not freeze the pack! It is true that you have several pairs and are very likely to get the pack, but you have the opponents on the run anyway.

If you freeze, they might be lucky enough to pick a canasta and go out, and discard Q's, 7's, 6's, and 5's in the meantime. If you don't freeze, they have either to break up their hands or give you packs continuously.

Q—I have a red trey dealt to me and I forgot to put it on the stock pile. This card is in my hand and the upcard of the discard pile is an ace. I was entitled to draw from the stock pile for

Miner After Rescue



Joseph Burda, 30-year-old Morea miner rescued after a 39-hour entombment, recounts his experiences from his hospital bed at Mahanoy City, Pa., to his brother, Frank (right), and an unidentified ambulance driver. Burda, without food or water during his entombment, set off three blasts of dynamite underground to inform rescuers on the ground above that he was still alive. (AP Wirephoto)

the red trey in my hand. What I want to know is, can I put the red trey down and then use the two aces to take the discard pile? A—No, I am sorry you cannot.

You see, the rotation is the draw, the meld, the discard. If you had put your red trey down and then replaced that red trey with a card from the stock pile you could now

take the discard pile. But you did not do that. You drew. If you want to you can put your red trey down now and replace it from the stock pile.

Mr. McKenney is unable to

answer individual questions on Canasta from readers. However, he will include the most frequently asked questions in his column.

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Many more millions will be needed in 1950 to keep the system growing and service improving. But they can't come from earnings, because earnings are never that large. The only source of new money for expansion is the savings of many hundreds of thousands of people. To attract those savings, telephone companies must offer investment opportunities at least as attractive as other businesses.

BETTER EARNINGS KEY TO BETTER SERVICE

Earnings must be improved from their present depression level if we are to obtain the millions of dollars needed to improve and expand service. The only way to improve earnings is to continue our program of repripping service in line with postwar costs. Three wage increases since the war alone have added three times as much to our Missouri costs as the revenues gained from our increases in rates.

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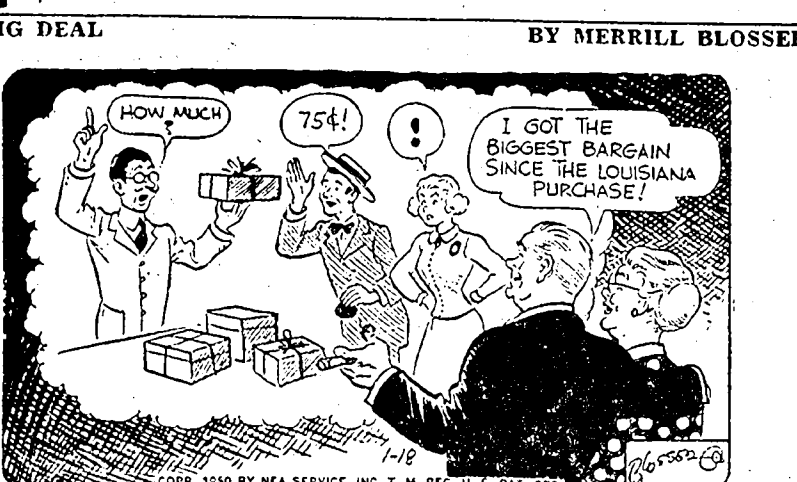
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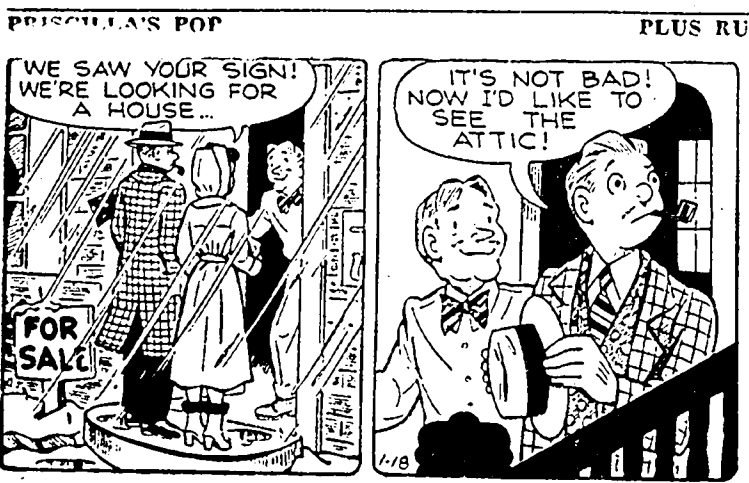
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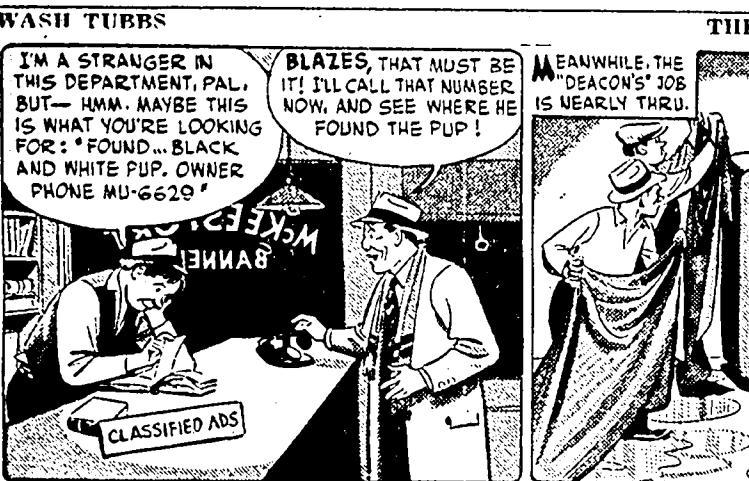
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Carnival

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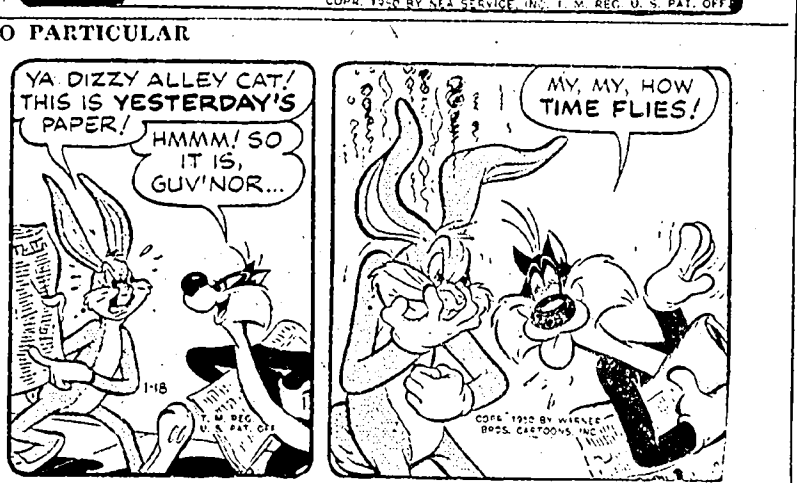
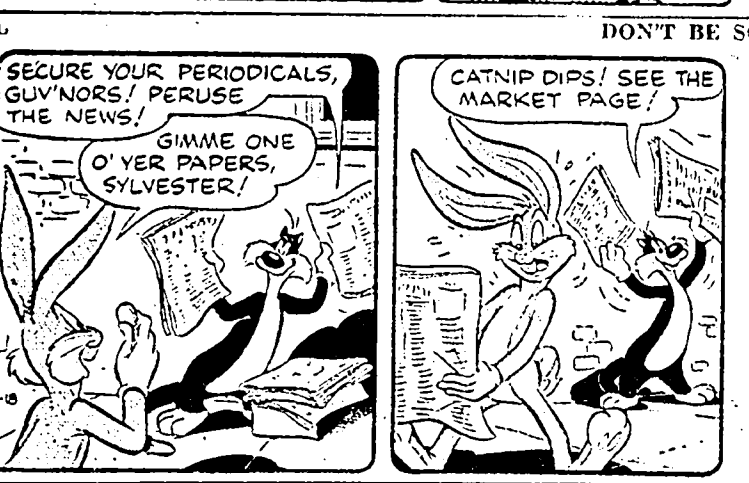
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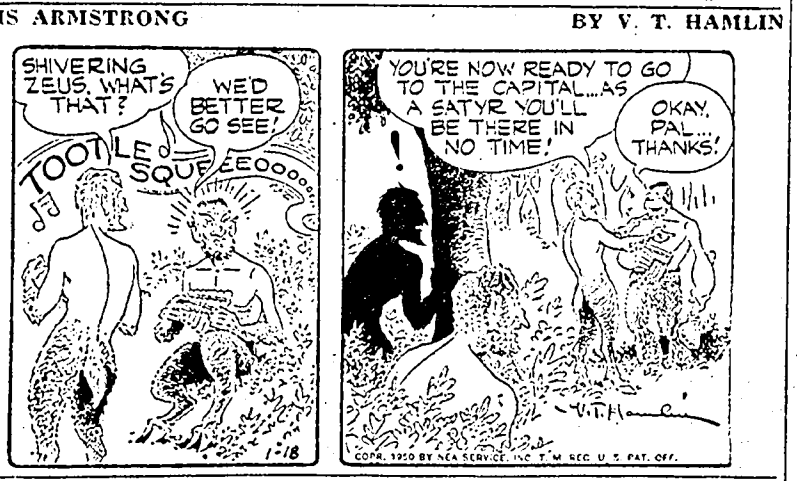
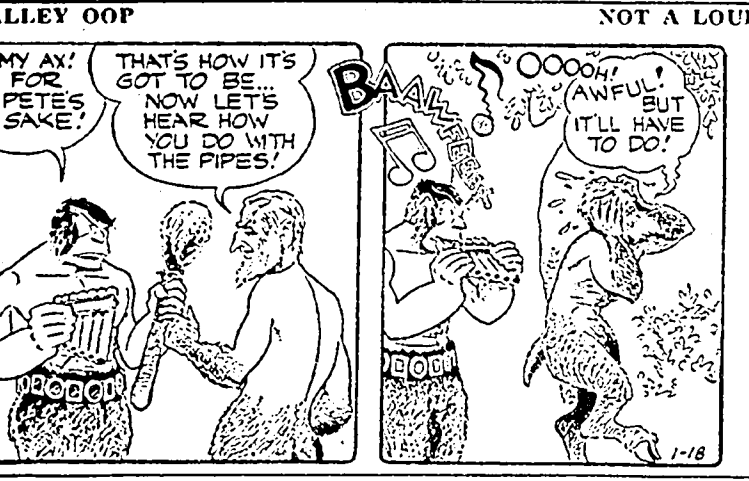
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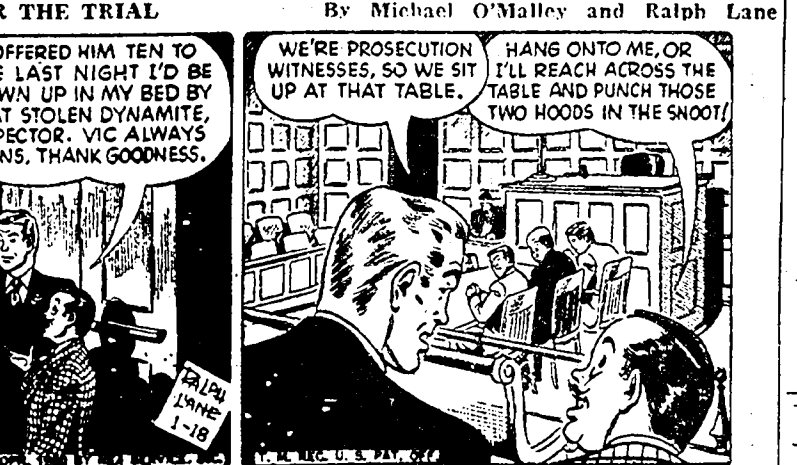
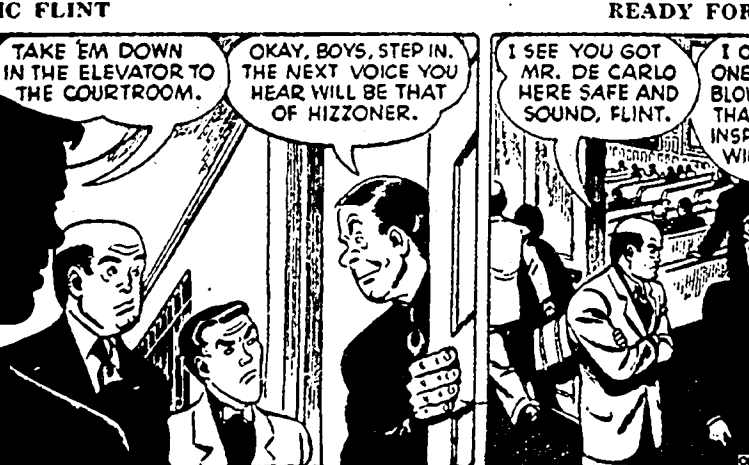
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Civic Clubs Honor The S-C Tigers

Coach Don Faurot And Harry Ice are Principal Speakers

Smith-Cotton high school Tigers, Champions of the Central Missouri Football Conference, were honored guests at the annual football banquet sponsored by the Sedalia Civic Clubs, at the Bothwell hotel, Tuesday night. Don Faurot, director of Athletics at the University of Missouri, was the principal speaker on the program.

Coach Faurot was introduced by Charles Van Dyne, a former M. U. Tiger football player and one of the outstanding players of the game of his time. Faurot gave a most interesting talk in tying in football with the future of a young man who plays the game. He also discussed new rules of the game and rules of the N. C. A. A.

Work To Win
Speaking directly to the Smith-Cotton football squad of 1949, he said, "You have to work for the good things we enjoy in life. The good things in football—winning games and making good plays—you have to work for them. In your school work, and I mean in your classes, you must work for them. That not only goes in your high school life but in your college education, the business world to make better business men of yourself, and in life as well, you must work for them to really enjoy the fruits of your endeavors."

"You boys have had a fine start right here in Smith-Cotton high school, in your football under your good coach 'Stub' Dow, and the seasons results have been enjoyed. But look back boys, you had to work for them," Coach Faurot said.

He paid a compliment to Coach Ralph 'Stub' Dow in his teams of not only the last season, but of those of past seasons. He told the group he had his eyes on several players of Smith-Cotton and hoped they would enroll into the University of Missouri.

Two-Platoon System
Coach Faurot told of the National coaches meeting in New York the past week which he attended and of various rules discussed, one in particular the two-platoon system. "It seems it is here to stay, although I voted against it," he said, "in fact, I don't like the system, but if it is to be used I will go along—we just don't have enough men to make it work successfully."

He told of the Missouri stadium having been increased in seating capacity and this summer another addition was to be made. "We hope to have it so arranged in the near future to handle a crowd of at least 50,000 football fans," the coach remarked. Other improvements at the University were revealed such as the \$2,700,000 building program which includes two dormitories one for girls, the other for the boys, new office building, and other facilities which the University has outgrown in the past few years.

The enrollment at the University at present, he related, is 10,300, but anticipated an average of 10,000 or more in the years to come.

"Between five civic clubs in Sedalia, a stadium could be built, and what's \$100,000," he remarked with a chuckle.

Tribute To Hulse
Coach Faurot paid tribute to Fred Hulse, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hulse, 720 West Broadway, who completed his University career in football, the past season, and also to Harold Mickens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Mickens of 216 West Fifth street, who played with the Tigers this season and like Hulse made the entire schedule and the trip to the 'Gator Bowl, New Year's Day.

In his remarks about Coach Dow, he recalled his coaching days at Kirksville when Dow was playing with the Mules at Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg, not only football but also basketball. "He was a good sport, a real athlete and Sedalia is fortunate to have him as its coach."

"Share of Fumbling"
"Missouri did its share of fumbling the past season. We just couldn't learn how to hold onto the ball. Those fumbles were costly as you will see in the pictures. Our best job of fumbling occurred in the 'Gator Bowl, but we had our share in the games with Oklahoma, and Kansas as well," he concluded.

Coach Dow gave a short review of the Smith-Cotton Tiger season of 1949 and paid tribute to all the boys who remained out the entire season practicing along with the Varsity squad. As a reward all the forty-four boys who reported out all season each was presented a gold football with a letter "S" the year "1949" and the wording "Champions" on it.

As each boy was presented his football by one of the presidents of the five civic clubs who cooperated in sponsoring the banquet. Coach Dow introduced the boy receiving the memento.

Harry Ice, executive secretary of the Quarterback Clubs of Mis-

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souri University, was introduced and gave a brief talk. Ice was one of Missouri's outstanding backs of recent years after his return from World War II where he served in the South Pacific.

Coach Faurot in his talk referred to a clipping from the newspapers of May 29, 1944, which told of Major Robert Connelly of New York, command of a task force of which Harry Ice was a Captain, killing 22,000 Japanese and captured six, without the loss of a single American life. Ice suffered a chest wound during his service in the Pacific but sufficiently recovered to return to the gridiron and become one of the country's outstanding stars.

Two motion pictures were shown, one the University of Missouri-Kansas U game and the other a film highlighting scoring plays of the Tigers in the various games during the past year.

Presenting the footballs were the presidents of the following organizations, Mrs. A. H. Rush, Business and Professional Women Club; Herbert Schrankler, Kiwanis; A. W. Haller, Lions; Frank Mehl, Optimist; and Oscar De Wolf, Rotary.

Tom H. Yount, president of the Civic Club Council, presided.

Following the showing of the pictures a brief meeting of the Sedalia Quarterback Club was held at which time Secretary Ice explained the functions of the organization for the coming year.

College Teams Scored Upsets On The Court

Three of Top Five Met Defeat In Major Upsets

By Ted Meier
NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(P)—Except for unbeaten Holy Cross and Duquesne, last night was upset night in college basketball.

Holy Cross, ranked first in the Associated Press poll, chalked up its 14th straight with an 84-56 victory over previously unbeaten Providence.

Duquesne, ranked sixth, made it 13 in a row by taking its Pennsylvania rival, Wayneburg, 37-48.

However, three of the top five, St. Johns of Brooklyn, Long Island and Kentucky, met defeat in major upsets.

St. Johns, ranked second after holding the No. 1 spot for two weeks, fell before DePaul, 74-68. Long Island, ranked third, was tripped by North Carolina State, 55-52, and Kentucky, No. five, took a 71-60 trouncing from Georgia.

Other Surprises
Other surprises included Siena's 47-42 defeat by Georgetown (DC), Virginia Tech's 73-69 setback by Washington and Lee and St. Lawrence's beating by Clarkson, 90-38, after three extra periods.

N. C. State, whipped on its home court Saturday by LaSalle, played without a substitution in tripping Long Island. Long Island, previously beaten only by Kansas State and trying for its 11th straight, pulled within two points at 54-52 with a minute and one half left and it looked like ULI might turn defeat into victory.

However State successfully froze the ball in the last 90 seconds. Sammy Ranzino, who sparked the Southerners with 25 points made a free throw for the final point after time had run out.

St. Louis, back from a poor eastern trip, soaked Wichita, 73-60, and went into a tie with Bradley for the lead in the Missouri Valley Conference.

Tom A. Jenkins Heads Quarterback Club

The Sedalia Quarterback Club at a special meeting at the Bothwell hotel, Tuesday night, elected Tom H. Jenkins, Dean Apartments, president for the coming year. The meeting was called following the annual football banquet which honored the Smith-Cotton high school Tigers.

Maurice Hogan, was elected first vice-president; Jack Whitaker, second vice-president; Jack Cunningham, secretary and treasurer. Charles Van Dyne and Coach Ralph "Stub" Dow were elected as members of the Board of Directors.

At the meeting Harry Ice, former M. U. Tiger back, gave a short talk in which he explained the functions of the organization for the coming year. Ice was recently elected Executive Secretary of the University of Missouri Quarterback Clubs.

President Jenkins announced he would call a meeting of the Club in the near future at which time a discussion of the M. U. Tiger football team of 1950 will be discussed and pictures of the 'Gator Bowl game will also be shown.

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Five Bouts to Be Staged at Warrensburg

A Sedalia Boy Will Battle it Out Thursday

WARRENSBURG, Jan. 18.—(Special)—The second annual Central Missouri State interschool boxing program will be held Thursday, January 19, in Morrow gymnasium. Five bouts will be staged to determine which fighters will carry the Mules' colors to Kansas City for the Star's Golden Gloves tournament of champions next month.

In the 126-pound class Bill Kelsey will trade blows with track star Dick Dexter. Both boys are from Kansas City. A fast scrap is promised by Chuck Tomette, Kansas City, who was a winner in last year's bouts. Tomette, a Navy veteran, was undefeated in nine fights while in service and he will meet Don Claxton, Kansas City, who fought in the Golden Gloves last winter.

Light Heavyweight Bout

Two light heavyweight bouts are scheduled. The first will send Bob Shultz, Sedalia, against Newt Ward of Independence. A feature of the evening will see Kenny Webster, former Central high school football star, matched against Russ Dayton, Chillicothe, a hard punching winner from last year's bouts. Dayton also fought in the Golden Gloves finals in Kansas City last year.

Highlight of the program will find 'Red' Majors, former Paseo high school athlete and last year's Golden Glove heavyweight champion of Kansas City, Kas., paired against Leo Sneiderhorst of Independence.

Other bouts may be staged and would involve Perry Rhodes, Kansas City, against Jim Newport, Independence and John S. O'Brien, Kansas City, with John Parnon, Warrensburg. All proceeds from the program will be used for a donation to the Central Missouri State Student chapter fund. The Mule boxing show is being arranged by Chuck Tomette and Russ Dayton. Officials of the show include Jim Martin, Jack Hughes, Beach Tuckness and Dick Holmes.

127 Enter Women's Golf Tourney at Tampa

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 18.—(P)—The Tampa Women's Open Golf tournament opens tomorrow with seven professionals and 115 amateurs in the entry list.

You've got such choices among the pros as defending titlist Patty Berg, former winners Babe Zaharias and Betty Jameson, and National Women's Open Champ Louise Suggs.

Others in the pro list are Kathryn Hemphill of Columbia, S. C., Mrs. Betty Mims Danoff of Dallas and Marilyn Smith of Wichita, Kas., who turned professional the day after she won the National Intercollegiate title.

Scratch amateurs include Alice and Marlene Bauer of Midland, Texas, Margaret Gunther of Memphis, Poly Riley of Fort Worth, Texas, and Marjorie Lindsay of Decatur, Ill.

Play in the 72-hole affair will be on a medal play basis.

Showgirls May Aid Railway
TOKYO.—(P)—Pretty showgirls may be used in an effort to stimulate lagging passenger traffic on Japanese train. One railroad official hopes to increase traffic over his line by putting 680 showgirls aboard a special "revue train" designed to carry 1,000 paying passengers. The train would run to Atami, a famous hot springs resort.

COURT patterns

Illinois Double-Screen Set-up Aids Weak-Side Player to Cut Off Post

By Harry Combes
Illinois Coach

CHAMPAIGN, Ill.—(NEA)—Illinois uses the double screen shown in the accompanying diagram for the weak-side forward. Player 2 passes to 3, and holds his position. Player 3 passes to the post, 5, who moves into position to meet the ball. Player 3 follows his pass across in front of 5, continues on to set up a screen for 4.

The pivot man, 5, then takes a couple of dribbles toward 4, and sets up a post.

Player 4 comes off the screen set by 3, takes a hand-off from 5, and dribbles in for a lay-up shot.

Cage Meet at S-C Tonight

The Central College basketball team will play host to the Sweet Springs quintet tonight at 8:00 o'clock on the Smith-Cotton high school court. This will be the first clash between the two squads this season, and both teams have been chalking up victories over opponents, so this encounter should provide plenty of cage action tonight.

And too, both teams have landed berths on the Sedalia Lions Independent basketball tourney, which gets underway at the Convention hall January 31 through February 4. CBC has two dates with two other teams which will tangle in the Lions' contest, Green Ridge and the Columbia cagers. Monday, the college team will journey to Green Ridge and the following Wednesday will be host to the Columbia quintet.

In the last game CBC played the team downed Versailles to the tune of 92 to 51.

The probable starters tonight will be Norman Thompson, center; Tipton and Caldwell, forwards; and Thomas and Bueche, guards.

Officials will be R. E. Carver and Ralph Hodges, both of Sedalia.

S-H Plays at Warsaw Tonight

About 35 students on the Sacred Heart basketball and volleyball teams left from the school this afternoon for Warsaw, where the teams will play in a conference meet tonight.

The Warsaw teams are among the tops in the conference and the games should be exciting. The volleyball game will be the first action to get underway, followed by the B team basketball game and then the varsity game.

The starting lineup for the A team will be chosen from the following: Jerry Labas, Joe Paxton, Joe Mehl, Bill Hodges, Jim Bus, Jess Martin and Jim Menefee.

Coach Palmer Nichols will accompany the group.

Wednesday Night's College Basketball

By The Associated Press
DePaul 74, St. John's (Brooklyn) 68.
Duke 57, Wake 48.
Holy Cross 84, Providence 56.
North Carolina State 53, Long Island 52.

Brooklyn College 84, Mexico University 62.

Georgia 71, Kentucky 60.

Kentucky 57, Tennessee Tech 37.

Marshall 62, Morehead (Ky.) 39.

Union (Ky.) 68, Centre 39.

Austin 57, San. Union (Tenn.) 47.

Texas Wesleyan 60, St. Mary's (Tex.) 37.

Stephen F. Austin 81, Southwest Texas 49.

East Texas 49, Sam Houston State 41.

Trinity (Tex.) 66, North Texas 64.

Hardin-Simmons 49, Texas Tech 44.

Little Rock Junior College 50, Henderson 49.

Arkansas Tech 80, Arkansas College 52.

Arkansas State Teachers 80, College of Ozarks 50 (overtime).

Midwest

St. Louis 73, Wichita 60.

Kansas Wesleyan 40, Bethel (Kas.) 44.

Duquesne 75, Missouri Valley 35.

Midland 40, Omaha 38.

Buckeye 60, Quincy (Ill.) 32.

Missouri Central 51, Baker 41.

Loras 108, Upper Iowa 77.

Culver Stockton 62, Iowa Wesleyan 39.

Simpson 63, Iowa Central 37.

Associated-Press Writer Picks Basketball Winners

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(P)—This is how Ted Meier, Associated-Press basketball writer, picks tonight's major college basketball games:

Midwest—Notre Dame over Michigan; State; Missouri over Wichita; Oklahoma Aggies over Oklahoma; Western Kentucky over Evansville.

Southwest—Arkansas over Southern Methodist; Texas A. and M. over Rice, Baylor over Texas Christian.

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A Victorious Night For S-C Tigers

Local Cagers Downed Tipton 59-39 at S-C

The Smith-Cotton Tigers chalked up their eleventh victory against one defeat in regular scheduled games this season, by beating the Tipton high school quintet 59 to 39 Tuesday night on the Smith-Cotton high school court.

The Tiger first string men were sharp in their passing department. Sedalia used reserves all through the game in large numbers. Holst, ace Tiger center, continued to lead the Tiger pack with 26 points. However, Needy, center for Tipton, took high point honors for the game with 27 points. Walker was second high point man for Sedalia, tallying nine points.

Preliminary Game
In the preliminary game, the Sedalia "B" squad downed the Tipton boys 32 to 22. Murphy led the scoring with 21 points which is the highest total for a S-C "B" boy this season. Anderson led the Tipton team with eight points. The intermission score was 22 to 8 in favor of Sedalia.

The Tigers played a good first quarter and led Tipton 17 to 8 at the close. Their passes were sharp and "subs" were used from the beginning. It was evident from the start that the Tipton boys were completely out-classed but they gave a very good account of themselves and were game fighters throughout the contest. Needy gave a very good showing for his team.

Not up to Par
In the second quarter, S-C moved to 31 to 16 halftime lead. The Tigers looked impressive, but by no means played their best game. The Tigers outscored the Tipton aggregation 16 to 10 in the third period frame to lead it 47 to 26. In this period the Tigers closed the door on the possibility of a Tipton comeback.

In the final quarter, Tipton outscored the Tiger reserves 13 to 12 to give Sedalia the game 59 to 39. The Tigers played a loose game of ball in this period and the Tipton boys displayed a never-say-die spirit.

The game was played before the smallest crowd of the season. The Tigers, who are in second place in the CEMO conference, will continue their schedule play against Jefferson City Friday night in that city. The Tigers have beaten the Capital City team twice this season by large margins.

The box scores:

Sedalia "A"	FG	FT	Pct
Brown	3	0	4
Morgan	0	0	0
Ruffin	0	0	0
Hoist	12	2	28
McCarry	3	0	6
Walker	4	1	8
Lankau	1	0	0
Totals	27	3	30

Tipton "B"	FG	FT	Pct
Needy	10	7	27
Willis	0	0	0
Gold, A.	0	0	0
Gold, B.	0	0	0
Reeman	1	0	2
Lindbergh	0	0	0
Schuler	0	0	0
Brant, C.	3	1	7
McBroom	0	0	0
Brant, D.	0	1	0
Totals	14	11	30

Sedalia "B"	FG	FT	Pct
Murphy	10	1	21
Laundry	2	0	3
Conner	1	1	2
Raburn	0	0	0
Forbes	0	0	0
Brooks	0	0	0
Schuler	0	0	0
Hieronymus	0	0	0
Bowers	0	1	1
Totals	13	4	32

Tipton "A"	FG	FT	Pct
Anderson	3	2	3
Edwards	2	3	1
Reagan	0	0	0
Niewery, C.	0	1	2
Polito	0	0	0
Niewery, J.	0	0	3
Totals	5	6	22

Central College Scores 12th Basketball Win

FAYETTE, Mo., Jan. 18.—(P)—Central college rolled over Baker University 51-41 in basketball last night for its 12th victory against two losses.

Central ran up a 28-18 half-time lead and held a 17-point margin when its reserves took over with 6 minutes remaining.

Kenneth Sterns of Baker made 16 points for scoring honors. Dean Ehlers posted 13 for Central.

A Big Celebration Planned For Charles E. "Gabby" Street

JOPLIN, Mo., Jan. 18.—(P)—Charles E. (Gabby) Street, colorful figure in baseball for half a century, who in recent years has "covered" the sports he loves so well by means of a radio broadcast originating in St. Louis, will be honored in his home town of Joplin tomorrow.

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Brothers Face Each Other Across Court

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 18.—(P)—The brothers Iba—Henry and Clarence—will face each other across court for the first time at a basketball game Saturday night.

Hank, Okla. A&M's cage coach, brings the Aggies here to battle little brother's Tulsa university club, a perennial Missouri Valley underdog whose bite is pretty sharp this season. This is Clarence's first season as Hurricane coach.

The brothers were on the same side in the previous meetings. Clarence once played under Henry when the latter coached the Maryville, Mo., State Teachers. The Iba clan has four basketball coaches in all.

Younger brother Earl practices the profession at Panhandle A. & M., Goodwell, Okla., and Howard coaches St. Joseph, Mo. Central high school.

The Mother Speaks
Small wonder that their mother, living in Easton, Mo., and a close follower of the game, has let it be known the Aggie-Tulsa contest is one she doesn't care to see because "someone will have to lose."

As Tulsa's first full-time basketball coach, Clarence is bringing local basketball interest to a peak. The Golden Hurricane has won nine games in 12 outings so far, double its wins for the last two years.

Eight of the victories came in succession to open the season. That plus a recent upset of Wichita—which previously beat the Aggies—has hoisted Tulsa from the dormat class.

Clarence teaches the same deliberate style of ball control which characterizes older brother Hank's teams.

No. 2 in Nation

The Aggies, current winners of nine games out of 13, are defensively No. 2 in the nation, holding the opposition to 39.4 points per start.

The only team with a better mark is Tulsa—33.2.

The younger Iba, although not overawed, nurses no illusions.

"They've got us overpowered in every department," he says. Henry, who scouted the Hurricane's 44-50 loss to Drake last week, remarked that "It won't be long until Tulsa becomes basketball minded."

Dick Ault to Coach in Track

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—(P)—Dick Ault, Missouri University's star hurdler, will teach mathematics and coach track at Roosevelt high school here after his graduation this month.

The high school is Ault's alma mater.

His appointment was announced today by William Kottmeyer, assistant superintendent in charge of personnel.

Ault was a member of the U. S. Olympic team two years ago. He was the fifth Missouri track star to compete in the event. Last summer the low hurdles sensation participated in a six-nation track meet in the British isles.

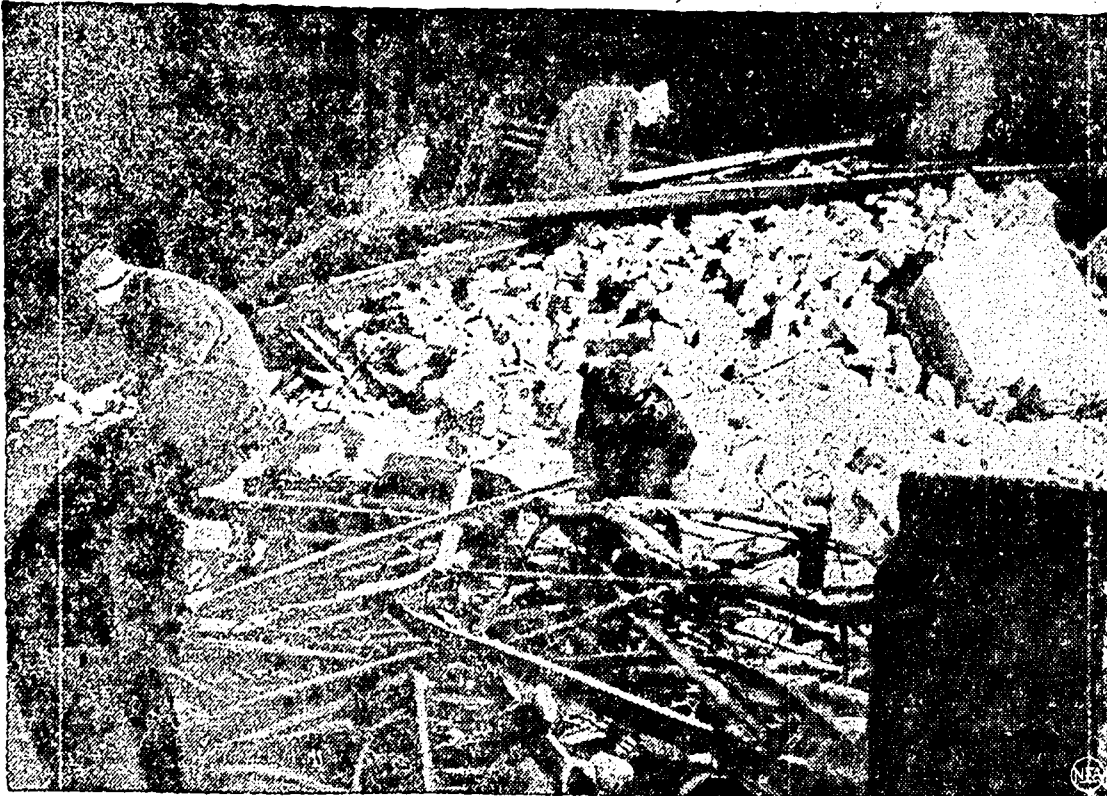
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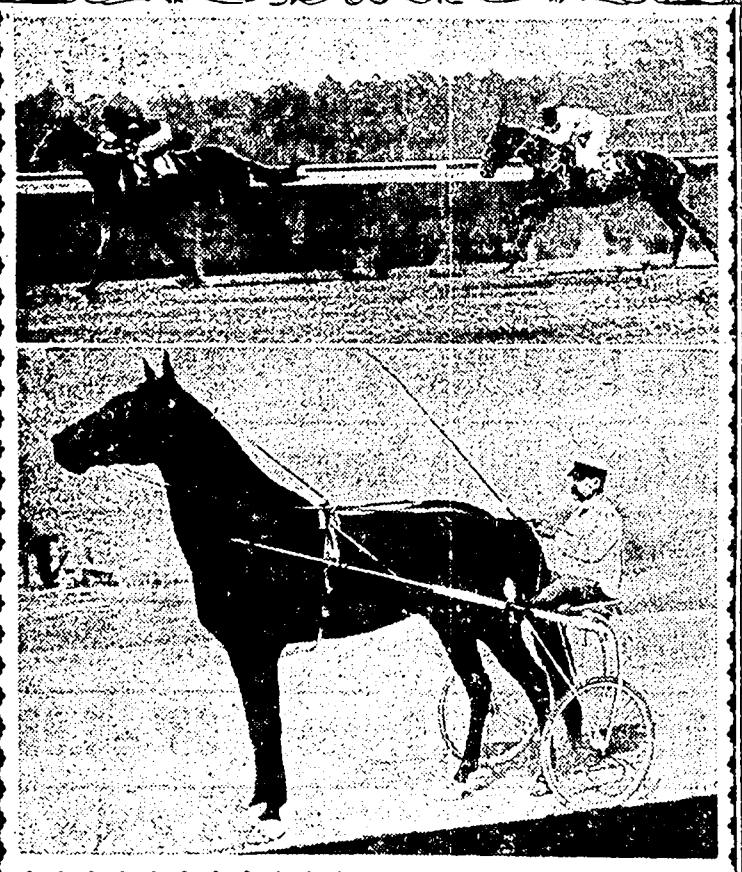


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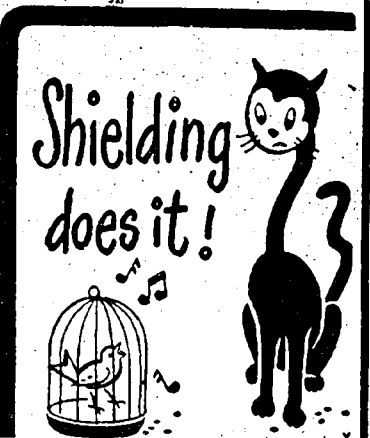
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Turn Down a Chrysler Offer

UAW Declares it 'Inadequate' as To Pensions

DETROIT, Jan. 18.—(P)—Chrysler Corp. offered its 89,000 hourly-rated employees \$100 a month pensions Tuesday but the CIO United Auto Workers promptly turned down the proposal.

It was "completely inadequate," said UAW Chrysler director Norman Matthews. The union was expected to give strike notice tomorrow.

Chrysler was the second major automobile firm to make a \$100-a-month pension offer. The union accepted one from the Ford Motor Co. last September.

However, Matthews said, the National UAW Chrysler negotiating committee unanimously voted down the plan proposed today for three main reasons. These he listed as:

1—It "proposes to extend the present entire Chrysler collective bargaining contract, without change, except on wage rates, for a period of five years."

2—It fails to commit Chrysler to "a fixed contribution in cents per hour into a trust fund to guarantee pensions on an actuarially sound basis" and gives the UAW no representation in administration of the proposed pension system.

3—The corporation's proposal on insurance and medical-hospital care "is a sham."

Like the Ford pension plan, the Chrysler offer embodied a proposal to make up the cost of \$100-a-month benefits not provided through Federal Social Security benefits. It set the same retirement age—65.

In addition, whereas Ford Workers must have 30 years' service to be eligible, Chrysler employees would need only 25 years under the proposed plan.

Matthews said the union would reply formally and in more detail to the company tomorrow. He was asked if the offer would provide "a basis for further negotiations."

"Hell, No!" the UAW official said.

Matthews had threatened to hand Chrysler a seven-day strike notice. Tomorrow unless "satisfactory" progress was made. Negotiations are to resume at 10 a. m., and it was believed the strike notice would be given.

Robert W. Conder, Chrysler director of labor relations, said the plan was based on the company's "promise to pay."

"We believe the solvency of Chrysler Corp. is good," he added.

Runaway Blaze



Stretched along a 14-mile front on the side of Cheyenne Mountain near Colorado Springs, Colo., a timber and brush fire continues to pour smoke into the sky, defeating efforts of hundreds of civilians and soldiers to bring it under control. In the foreground of this aerial view is a part of Camp Carson, big military installation which has been partially isolated by the fire's destruction of two key bridges. (AP WIREPHOTO)

Urge Congress Grant a Bonus

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—(P)—Two veterans organizations Tuesday urged Congress to grant a bonus to World War II veterans. Commanders of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Amvets made their pleas at a house veterans affairs committee hearing on a veterans legislative program for 1950.

Commanders of the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans also appeared, but made no recommendations on the bonus issue.

A bill now before the veterans committee provides for a bonus—known as adjusted service compensation—at the rate of \$3 a day for military service at home and \$4 a day for service performed overseas.

Informal estimates of the cost run all the way from \$20,000,000 to \$50,000,000,000.

Slowness, not speed, is the feature of a new airplane, which already has demonstrated its ability to land and take off from an area no larger than a tennis court.

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Miss Verona Neumeyer Dr. P. V. Siegel motored to Kansas City, Wednesday evening where he attended a meeting of the U. S. Naval Reserve Medical Unit.

Mrs. L. D. Hoehns left Sunday evening a week ago by train for Colorado Springs, Colo., where she was called, due to the serious illness of her father, H. H. Eddy. Mr. and Mrs. Eddy are former residents of Smithton.

Dr. and Mrs. P. V. Siegel and children, Pete II and Betsy, entertained with a dinner, Sunday a week ago, the following: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Siegel, Sr. and two children, Dorothy June and Paul of Florence; Dr. and Mrs. Carl Siegel, Jr. of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin May and Mrs. H. S. Ramsey motored to Houstonia recently where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter May and Mrs. P. A. May, mother of Melvin and Walter May. They also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newsham and sons, Robert and Michael of Madison, Kas., were recent guests of Mrs. Newsham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Ferguson.

Mrs. Cora Baxter returned home recently from Harp, Kas., where she was a guest of her son, Arthur Baxter and family.

B. B. Ihig visited his sister, Mrs. Eva Graves, who is sick at her home in Marshall, recently.

Mrs. William Pate, who underwent surgery in a Kansas City hospital for a serious eye operation is improving in her condition.

Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Dillon and daughter, Mildred were in Kansas City last Wednesday. They also visited in the home of their son, Earl Dillon and family.

The Fidelity Sunday school class of the Smithton Methodist church held its monthly meeting on Tuesday, January 3 at the country home of Mrs. D. G. Monsees with Miss Verna Neumeyer, assisting hostess.

Mrs. D. G. Monsees, president, presided at the meeting. After the business meeting, a social hour was held by the following, Mrs. Monsees, Miss Neumeyer, Mrs.

Area Conference to Be Held at Carthage

CARTHAGE, Mo., Jan. 18.—(P)—The United States is joining with the Carthage chamber in sponsoring the meeting.

L. C. McKenney, president of the Carthage Chamber of Commerce, said the conference is expected to attract business leaders from communities within 75 miles of Carthage.

The Chamber of Commerce of Robert Griffin, Mrs. Olen Monsees, Mrs. Harry Henderson, Mrs. Marvin Goodwin, Mrs. George Griffin, and Mrs. Sheldon Smith.

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By Mrs. Harold Conway

Mr. and Mrs. George Lowrey, of Kansas City, were guests over the week-end of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Lowrey and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Purnell of Dresden.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Foster of Hutchinson, Kas., visited last week with his father, E. E. Foster, who was a patient at the Bothwell hospital.

Students who returned to their classes last Wednesday were: Harlan and Junior Hoffman of Missouri Valley; David Bauldin, Ella Dee Runge, Barbara and McConway, of Central College; Mary Hieronymus, Ruth Ann Parkhurst, Joe Ream, Minnie Ellen Gray, C.M.S.C.; Tommy Ream, a student at Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleason Stevenson of Kansas City spent the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stevenson and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wimer of La Monte.

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